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New Traditions Greet Freshmen

Nineteen Members Added To Faculty And Staff

President Phillips Presents Personnel In Convocation

In addition to the record enrollment of new students at Alabama College, several faculty and administration personnel have been appointed to fill various positions at the college. These personnel were presented by Dr. Howard Phillips in Convocation Sept. 16.

Dr. Daniel R. McMillan has been appointed chairman of the department of Physics and Mathematics. He has served as professor of Physics and chairman of the Physics department at Emory University since 1942.

Mr. Harry S. Tausch, Tamaqua, Penn., was appointed assistant professor of Psychology.

Mr. Patrick T. White, Birmingham, is a new assistant professor of English.

Dr. David J. Cotter, Tuscaloosa, is assistant professor of biology. While studying at Emory, Dr. Cotter served as a research associate for the Atomic Energy Commission.

Miss Elizabeth Armstrong has joined the faculty of the school of music as associate professor.

The college's new director of operations and planning engineer is Mr. Aubrey C. Folsom. He is a former planning engineer of Emory University. His wife, Mrs. Florence Folsom, has also joined the staff as assistant professor of home economics.

Mr. F. J. Dupuis, Birmingham, will be a lecturer in pre-engineering. Miss Vivian I. Roe has been appointed associate professor of speech and director of the residential speech and hearing clinic.

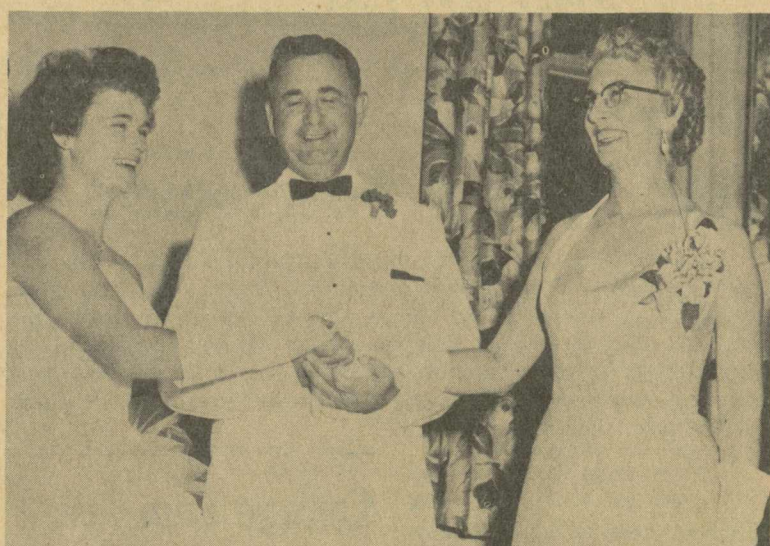
Other appointments made were Mrs. Betty Lee Anderson, technical-clerical assistant in the college library; Mary Cecil Forbus, assistant supervisor of food services; Mrs. Tessie B. Higgins, secretary, alumni office; Mike Mahan, supervisor of the student-faculty services; Mrs. Elizabeth Cox, house-mother-teacher in the residential speech and hearing.

The two new housemothers are Mrs. Mamie Coble in Ramsay Hall and Mrs. Nora Lewis in Tutwiler Hall. Mrs. Mildred W. Harris has been appointed technical assistant to the psychology department; Mrs. Mary Murphy, technical assistant to the registrar; and Mrs. John W. McGlown, technical assistant in the department of student-faculty services.

Seniors To Receive Caps And Gowns

Members of the senior class will officially receive their caps and gowns during convocation Tuesday, September 30.

The presentation of caps and gowns will be held earlier this year in order that the senior class may participate in the inauguration of Dr. Phillips which will be held in conjunction with Founder's Day on October 14.



Being greeted by Dr. and Mrs. Phillips in freshman receiving line is Mary Ann Scott of Jemison.

College Theatre Sets Programs For The Year

Plans have been announced for the 1958-59 College Theatre and Theatre Council activities by Dr. Andrew Kochman, director.

Serving as permanent chairman for Theatre Council this year will be Bob Murray, Public Relations; Bertha Masterson, Costumes; Jo Veal, Props; Ann Riley, Make-up; Katherine Morton, Social Chairman; Mary Ellen Grant, Business Manager; Bettie LeGrand, Lights; and B. J. Vogel in charge of scenery. Crews for each committee will be selected at a later date.

To begin its new season, College Theatre will present "Hedda Gabler" on October 20th and 21st. The cast of this powerful play by Henrik Osben will include Ed Cooper, Polly Holliday, Libby Queen, Jo Anne Mynard, Tom Skinner, Harris Holly, and Mary Lois Tombes.

College Theatre plans also to produce on November 24th and 25th "Love for Love", a 17th century comedy by William Congreve. "Desire Under the Elms" by Eugene O'Neill has been planned for April 23rd and 24th.

Dates and directors for the first three presentations of the Free

Stain Elected IRC President

Bettilee Stain was elected President of the International Relations Club at the meeting held September 17. She fills the vacancy left by Pat Harris.

Other officers are Christine Angele, Vice-President and Terry Langford, Sec.-Treasurer. The faculty advisor is Dr. Anne Eastman.

New projects have been planned for the year. They include a convocation program on October 21.

"Rat" Caps, Handbooks!! Compose College Traditions

By Sylvia Pound

Flashing purple and gold "rat" caps, prompt "Yes sir" and "Yes M'am", and concealed handbooks are only a part of the new traditions that invaded the campus of Alabama College with the 1958-59 freshman class.

A new era of Freshman Orientation began this fall. The purpose of the new tradition is to better acquaint underclassmen with the rules and the upperclassmen.

Some other traditions are the required attendance at all SGA events and entrance to Palmer Hall by the side door except when accompanied by parents or a date. A special ceremony will climax the end of the eleven weeks customs.

Included in the new freshman program are the courtesies of following upperclassmen and faculty out of doors, knocking before entering an upperclassman's room, addressing respectfully and greeting everyone on campus.

Orientation week activities were composed of a picnic at the lake, a theatre party, reception by all the local churches, the Big Sister-Little Sister, Big Brother-Little Brother party sponsored by the Student Christian Association. The SCA also sponsored a lemonade stand during registration.

Climaxing orientation week was the Student Government Association's formal reception for freshmen.

Elite Night Plans Near Completion

Committees for Elite Night have been selected and have already begun work, according to Rosalind White, chairman.

Main committees are:

Program and Set Design—Bob Murray.

Contestants—Ann Riley.

Decorations—Barbara Lett.

Music—Jennie Cotney.

Ushers—Jackie Inman.

Business Manager—Darroll Pharris.

Publicity—Bobby Harrison.

Secretary—Jean Shell.

Staging and Lighting—To be announced.

Judging of beauties will be done by three judges from Alabama. The final beauty judge will be a well known celebrity.

The selection of Senior Elite, and Who's Who, Miss Alabama College, and other Elite Night activities, will be done in the usual manner.

Murray Announces Staff For "Tower"

Bob Murray, editor of the college literary magazine, The Tower, announces the staff for the 1958-1959 publications.

Story editors are Bettilee Stain and Margaret Tait.

Other positions are: Pat Perreault, associate editor; Terry Langford, business manager; Sylvia Pound, make-up editor; and Margie Lane, art editor.

Further announcements as to the date of publications, subscriptions and information on how stories or poems can be submitted will be printed in a later edition of The Alabamian.

CAMPUS QUEEN

By Pat Perreault

Participating in the upperclassman's new sport of taming the freshman is Karen Mullins, the Alabamian's choice for this month's Campus Queen.

Pretty, vivacious, and full of fun describes this Enterprise junior perfectly. A Vocational Home Economics major, Karen's varied interests include Orchesis, Ivol Spafford Club, and Wesley Foundation, of which she is president.

She enjoys sports and as an avid tennis enthusiast can be seen gracing the tennis courts frequently.

The Alabamian is not the first to recognize Karen's charm. In 1955 she was Peanut Festival Queen, and for the past two years has been selected one of the top beauties for the Montage.

Again this year she has been asked to vie in Elite Night against the loveliest on campus.



Pretty Karen Mullins keeps freshmen Gary Holmes and Joe Volker well in line.

The President's Corner

Cordial greetings and a very sincere welcome are extended to all Alabama College students! The faculty and staff join me in wishing for all of you a most successful and happy year.

It is with great satisfaction and much happiness that we welcome all of our returning students. To our new students we issue an invitation to share with all of us the rich, friendly, and genuine hospitality that characterizes Alabama College. We want you to become rapidly a part of our genial Alabama College family.



At Alabama College, we are very proud of our faculty, students and staff. We cherish our good name, our outstanding records, and our precious heritage. We believe in and dedicate our lives to high standards of conduct and educational achievement. It will become obvious to you as you learn more about Alabama College that we loathe poor performance and have a great intolerance for mediocrity.

The primary objective of the faculty and staff of Alabama College is the maintenance of a top-quality program in education, so that you may acquire real, deep, and abundant knowledge. Moreover, we intend to strive always to improve our quality.

There are certain general competences that should be demanded of all students who graduate from institutions of higher learning. Certainly these competences could be acquired through a variety of programs.

These objectives and purposes should be maintained and emphasized in higher education in order to bring about the maximum development of the individual:

1. To stimulate and nourish intellectual curiosity.
2. To challenge many different ways the intellectual capacity.
3. To emphasize leadership qualities.
4. To encourage loyalty, devotion to duty, the assumption of responsibility.
5. To develop a wholesome philosophy of life that will make the living world a better place for this and successive generations.
6. To instill the desire for a continual search throughout life for what is basic in life and in education.
7. To provide, in addition to knowledge and understanding, an opportunity for the student to gain maturity and a purpose for living. He should be convinced that young people have far greater potentialities for growth, for farsighted vision, for development, and for achievement than one, even the most ambitious, usually attempts to realize or to fulfill.
8. To understand and adhere closely to the principles of democracy, and to assume the responsibilities of a good citizen in the state and in the nation.
9. To develop some real concern and a proper concept for true values.
10. To acquire the ability to communicate adequately, properly, correctly, and skillfully.
11. To develop critical attitudes in honor, not only to recognize problems in many fields of endeavor, but also approaches to the solutions of the problems, human and otherwise.
12. To instill a better understanding and a deeper appreciation of the arts, literature, science and social world. Particularly to recognize the scientific method as a method of thinking—as an approach to a proper analysis.

This approach would involve a critical attitude regarding moral and intellectual disciplining; devotion to the truth above other human values; openmindedness; accuracy and thoroughness; impersonal attitudes; patience and hard work; the withholding of judgment and conclusions until a reasonable number of facts have been obtained.

Many of these objectives represent possibly the objectives of hundreds of colleges. Some of the same statements will appear in the literature of other colleges. Our success at Alabama College depends, therefore, not on these written statements but upon our ability to bring these objectives to proper fruition in the lives of our students.

May I urge you to learn the objectives and permit them to become a part of your thinking and integral parts of your lives. Demand that our educational program at Alabama College be sharply focused on them!

Your Rights Are Yours -- Keep Them

With the increasing enrollment at Alabama College, identification cards have become necessary. Identification cards mean exactly what they say—a means by which an Alabama College student may be identified.

It is imperative that these cards be carried at all times, not only for identification and recognition, but also for admission to many college events and activities. As such, they may be used on and off the campus.

Actually, the card is an insurance for the student carrying it when identification as a college student is required. It is essential that care be taken of this card for the protection to be of any avail. If the card is lost and falls into the hands of a non-student, he may enjoy the privilege to which you are entitled.

Cases have been reported in which Alabama College students were supposedly involved. These cases could have been quickly and satisfactorily settled by the use of identification cards under the new system.

Therefore, it is up to you whether or not you want to take the chances involved by not taking your identification card with you, or by losing it.

Protect yourself and your rights and privileges by taking care of your identification card.



Bah! Decisions!

The Executive Council

Your Student Government

School has begun and is the cause of mixed emotions in new and returning students. Some of these students are excited and a little awed, others are accustomed to the unique ways of college life and to the particular characteristics of Alabama College and are not particularly impressed—just glad to be back—and, as always, there are those who are bored, and even a few unhappy people who prefer to be elsewhere but find themselves here.

All of us, regardless of our attitudes, are in the same situation, however. Studying is a pastime that seems to be losing its popularity; there are distractions: seeing old friends, gaining new ones, comparing notes in the Tea House—many extracurricular activities; nevertheless, studies continue because most of us make a half-hearted attempt, at least, to remain in college for various individual reasons.

We may think our schedules are ponderous but there are a number of students who have more reason than we to complain of overwork but who seem to take THEIR extra load in stride.

This select group of students, well-qualified for its position of authority, is the Executive Council. Most of the members of the Executive Council have had official positions with the student government previously. They appear to have combined studying, extracurricular activities, and the duties imposed upon them by their responsibility of office quite satisfactorily.

Among their many obligations are those of enforcing laws and regulations passed by the Senate and student body, co-ordinating all student activities, and acting as chairmen and presidents of standing and special committees and of campus-wide organizations.

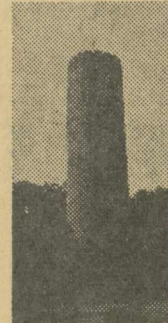
These officials have a compelling responsibility to serve the students, but without the complete support of the SGA (which is composed of the entire student body, incidentally) the Executive Council is powerless to serve us.

The duties of the Executive Council, outlined here, are fully explained in the Student Government Handbook. We will all benefit if we examine that section of the handbook and begin backing our Executive Council.

WHERE IS
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TOWER TALKS

This old man would like to add his bit to the many welcomes that have been extended to members of the class of 1962, new faculty and administration, and also to



the returning upperclassmen. Welcome to the campus, and may this year be the best.

Color has been added to the campus by the "Rat Hats" worn by members of the freshman class. So when I see a group of students with gold and purple hats, I'll know they are freshmen. I also hear that they have a list of suggestions as to what to do and what not to do. Well, it does look like fun.

I get that proud feeling each time I look over the campus and see all the students. But I think I am going to have the same problem facing many of the professors now—how will I ever learn all of you? With our increasing enrollment (I hear it's over 800), I look forward to the years to come with great anxiety.

As I listened in on convocation last Tuesday, I was thrilled to hear the resounding of the new Alma Mater led by Mr. Tolbert. Convocations have just begun for this year. But may I offer one thought for your consideration. These convocations are not planned for the faculty, but for you the students. They are not planned for the sole purpose of requiring everyone to get together. They are for the benefit of the whole student body—for the purpose of broadening your college education. Keep this purpose in mind when you go.

Over toward Reynolds I hear the excitement of making class pictures and plans for the selection of the beauties for Elite Night. Remember, select your club beauty now!

Have you noticed the faces of the seniors beaming lately? The reason—the day of officially receiving the caps and gowns will soon be here.

Many, many plans for the year I hear from my lofty height towering over the campus. Putting all of these together I predict that this will be the best school year yet.

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Rushing to get their "rat" hats are freshmen John Self, Ann Aylsworth, Loretta Adams, Bill Coleman, and Josh Blakely.

Music Department Schedule Shows Much Variety

The Music Department is anticipating a great year with many additions and improvements over the previous years.

With fifty-two voices, under the direction of Mr. Bruce Tolbert, the College Choir began its year this week with promises of being one of Alabama College's best assets. They will give numerous other performances and appear on many convocation programs here on our campus.

Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, a new addition to the faculty, is a voice instructor and also conducts the Chorale, the Alabama College women's vocal group.

This year's Chamber Music Series offers six concerts. The concerts will be on Sunday at three p.m. in the Library. On November 9, the Kroll String Quartet will be featured. This outstanding group will also appear the following Tuesday in a convocation program. Much planning has gone into these concerts which will be October 12, November 9, December 7, February 1, March 1, and May 3.

Photo Contest Is Open To Students

A contest for college student photographers is being sponsored by The Intercollegian, a magazine covering the college field and published by the National Student YMCA-YWCA. Theme of the contest is student life and education in America, and \$850 in prizes in equipment and cash are offered.

The contest will close November 1, 1958, and judging the entries will be Jacob Deschin, Photography Editor, New York Times; David Linton, President, American Society of Magazine Photographers, and Grace M. Mayer, Curator of the Museum of the City of New York.

Prize-winning pictures will be published in The Intercollegian and exhibited at the YMCA-YWCA National Student Assembly in Urbana, Illinois, December 28, 1958 to January 3, 1959 with the mounting courtesy of Compo Photo Service, Inc., specialists in photo murals, New York City.

For complete contest rules and an entry blank students may write to Intercollegian Photography Contest, 291 Broadway, New York 7, N.Y.

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Freshmen View College Life

By Margaret Ann Morgan

"I came to college, I was green as grass . . ." is the feeling of 350 freshmen had at Alabama College September 8. But this "green" feeling has changed somewhat after two weeks on the Alabama College campus.

Members of the freshman class were randomly asked the question, "What is your opinion of Alabama College life?"

Renata Naumann and Ingeborge Lange replied, "We like it just as much as we thought we would and maybe even better." Agreeing with them were Margaret Ann Hackney and Pat Robertson.

Carl Bryan answered, "I like the good friendly atmosphere. Even the upperclassmen treat you as an equal." Charles Welch agreed, "Everybody speaks to you."

Vernatte Hudson stated, "I like it very much but it surely is a rushed way of life." Beverly Martin added, "I agree. The classes are terribly tiring, too."

"The thing I like most is the male-female ratio," answered John Self, Vann Self, and Bill Coleman.

Renald Bryant had this to say, "What impresses me most at Alabama College is the beautiful campus and the friendliness of everyone. I also like the family style of eating in the dining room—it makes you feel more at home."

Joss Blakely replied, "My college life so far is up to my expectations. It is just fine."

College life here is nice, exciting, and we love it!" is the way Judy Pruitt, Cary Nix, and Ellen Burch summed up their answer to the question.

Dass Poveil stated, "The most impressive thing to me about Alabama College is the honor system. This is one of the few places where the honor system works effectively and it gives you a good feeling to know that you are a part of such a thing."



Two freshmen receive lemonade from SCA members Joyce Chitwood, Joyce Willis, Linda Sparkman, Jimmie Stanton and Jennie Cotney.

Five Seniors Assume Duties In Home Management House

Alabama College provides for her students a variety of practical activities as well as intellectual pursuits. This can be illustrated by the home management program of the home economics department.

In the practice home located by Palmer Hall, five senior home economic majors, Elsie Snellgrove, Robbie Cook, Billie Moore, Carolyn Kornegay, and Carolyn Woolley, are putting into practice all the knowledge they have acquired in the various home economic courses.

While living here the students plan and cook all meals, clean house, and do their own laundry.

They have the combined objective of contributing a lasting project for the house as making new drapes and scatter pillows. Each student also has an individual goal such as mastering table service or improving skills in flower arrangement.

They enjoy working as a team in learning to manage a house hold wisely and then evaluating their work. For pleasure, they entertain members of the faculty and their friends.

These seniors will be in residence at the practice home for nine weeks under the direction of Miss Lightsey.

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Student Senate Prepares Itself For Coming Year

On Thursday, September 18, at 9:30 p.m., the Senate met for its first regularly scheduled meeting. At this meeting, the program of work for the year was outlined by the president in the form of standing committees.

These three committees deal with the formation of recommendations concerning: changes in rules which concern current situations on campus; continuous handbook changes; and senate-student body information.

Ray Jones was appointed to head the committee on current student affairs which will bring to the Senate proposals of modifications, changes, and additions to our present events.

Heading a committee which will study the handbook and make continuous recommendations to the Senate semi-monthly in regard to needed revisions is Mary Helen Capell.

A Senate public relations committee was appointed by the president to keep the student body informed about past and coming topics to be discussed. Sara Ann Smith will be chairman of this committee.

In addition to legislation transacted, the appointment of standing committees, several matters of current concern were discussed and legislation was transacted.

One item of discussion which is also to be discussed at the next meeting was that concerning the inappropriateness of short-shorts on our campus other than for specific class work.

Another item on which legislation was taken after discussion was that concerning study hours for freshmen women. This recommendation which is now on its way to the executive Council for approval reads as follows:

"Be it recommended by the Student Senate of Alabama College that 8:45 p.m. be the latest time that a freshman woman may arrive back on campus without its automatically being her 'free night out' for that week. Prompt compliance with the study hours is expected if the arrival is before 8:45 p.m. provided that she does not wish to use this as her free evening."

This proposal was made to the Senate in writing by the chairman of the freshman class advisory committee—Shirley Stabler, Main House President—Patricia Robertson, Main House Director, Mrs. Egerton, and the Dean of Women, Dean Gibson.

An important matter of Senate business—displaying the flag—was emphasized by the president's reading some important rules of flag etiquette. The vice president then took charge and demonstrated the folding of the flag. She also submitted a list of the Senators and the week that they are responsible for flying the United States flag.

European Organ Builder Gives Lectures Here

By Sue Bedgood

Mr. Dirk A. Flentrop of Zaandam, Holland, one of the most important of European organ builders, was the guest of the School of Music on September 17, 18, and 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Flentrop were in the United States while he was completing the erection of the new organ at Busch-Reisiger Museum at Harvard.

Five of his organs are located at various colleges and universities in the United States, one of which is in the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church here in Montevallo.

Alabama College was the only place at which Flentrop consented to lecture while in our country.

The first of his lectures, "The New Flentrop Organ at Harvard," was given in Calkins Hall; the second, "The Renaissance in Modern Organ Design," in which he used illustrated slides and the Flentrop organ for demonstration was given at St. Andrew's Church and was followed by an informal coffee.

Gallery Series Includes Several Famous Artists

The Department of Art is planning another series of art exhibitions and gallery talks for the coming year. These exhibitions will include works by nationally and internationally known painters and sculptors from Europe and America. Gallery talks will be held on Thursday night this year.

Currently showing in the Comer Hall art gallery is the "Alabama College Rental Collection". The Rental Collection is a program under which the department mats or frames color reproductions of art masterpieces for rental to students, townspeople, faculty, and staff members for use in their rooms, offices, and homes. The price is fifty cents per month.

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Who will be the Maid of Cotton for 1958-1959? This is the question running through the minds of Patty Talley, left, and Jade Higgins, as Jade shows Patty the dress she plans to wear.

Two College Coeds In Maid of Cotton State Contest

Two Alabama College seniors, Jade Higgins and Patty Talley, will represent their counties in the fourth-coming Maid of Cotton contest at the Alabama State Fair.

Miss Jade Higgins, a 20 year old retail home economics major, will represent Shelby County in the contest. Jade is a member of the Iva Stafford Club, the Ushers Club, and the Retail Club.

Last year Loveman's Department Store awarded Jade a scholarship in retail home economics. Jade is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins of Montevallo.

Miss Patty Talley, daughter of Mrs. H. A. Talley of Demopolis, Alabama, is representing Marengo County. Patty is a history major, and plans to teach after graduating in June.

She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honorary society, Kappa Delta Pi, senior women's honorary society. She is serving as president of Lambda Sigma Pi and the senior class. She was also junior class president.

Jade and Patty will go to the Alabama State Fair in Birmingham October 1 and 2 for a series of judging. They will model both bathing suits and a cotton street outfit. At two luncheons they will dine with the judges.

A grand ball will be given in the Maids of Cotton's honor October 1. Then on the night of October 2 Alabama's Maid of Cotton will be crowned.

The book is the culmination of three and one-half years of research and development in the area of introducing students to psychology.

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9:30-10:00 Music
10:00 Sign off

Dr. Eber Writes Psychology Text

"Samples of Scientific Psychology", an experimental textbook written by Dr. Herbert Eber, professor of psychology at Alabama College, was copyrighted and published this past week.

Outstanding feature of the book is its emphasis on selected theories as opposed to less intensive coverage of wider areas of the psychology field.

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State Fair Exhibit Planned By College

Twenty-four students will represent Alabama College at the Alabama State Fair, September 27-October 4, 1958. These students, four each day, will assist in the Alabama College booth distributing literature, and answering questions about the college.

A feature of the display will be the A. C. capsules which will be given to those passing by. All phases and activities of life at Alabama College are to be shown on a rotating wheel.

The entire display was designed by Mr. David Huntley, Chairman of the Art Department, and built by Alabama College carpenters and painters.

The students selected are: Donnie Jacks, Karen Mullins, Roy Hilton, Shirley Stabler, Dick Talty, Patty Talley, Ralph Thrasher, Barbara Walker, Sidney Godfrey, Jane Duke.

Jack Doherty, Jo Veal, Bobby Harrison, Jennie Cotney, James Findley, Jane Rice, Jerry Barton, Beverly Williams.

Gene Brymer, Janice Wood, Bobby Workman, Rosalie Hart, Neal Shirley, and Betty Bowdon.

President Appoints Student Committees

Two new student committees have been appointed by President Phillips.

Serving on the Student Affairs and Activities committee are Jane Graham, Patty Talley, Bertha Masterson, Darrol Pharris, and Janice Wood.

The Advisory Committee to the President is composed of Jennie Cotney, Neal Shirley, Bertha Masterson, Darrol Pharris and Katherine Morton.

Alumni News Tells Of The Freshmen And 1958 Grads

The Alumni Sons and Daughters, who serve at Homecoming events as pages and registrars, will be joined this year by twenty freshmen.

Freshmen sons and daughters of 1958 are: Rebecca Williams, Margaret Lacy Warren, Mary Delores Johnson, Shirley Beavers, Mary Louise Simms, Priscilla Frances Hubert, Eleanor Ruth Shotts, Carole Popemell, Julia Davis, Peggy Anne Killgore, Marneen McDonough.

Harriet McKenzie, Lena Raye Walton, Caroline Dickinson, Irma Penelope Harrell, Raymond Hubbard, Joe Gordon, Van Matre, Frank Conley Ellis, Jr., Charles Earl Bates, William Wright Kirby, Jr.

News of Graduates

Many of the 1958 graduates are teaching, going to graduate school or in various other positions.

Some of those who are teaching are: Martha Baxter, Uriah; Andy Berry, La Grange, Ga.; Fay Carmichel, Aliceville; Pat Jones and Bertha Strock, Pensacola, Fla.; Beverly Funderburk, Montgomery; Charlotte McGinnis, Austell; and Marcella Stone in Montgomery.

Attending graduate school are: Mary Anne Norman at the University of Tenn. in Knoxville; Bonnie Strickland at the University of Ohio; and Sandra Ward and Elizabeth Stewart at Emory University in Atlanta.

Marriages of 1958 Alumni include: Carolyn Broadway to Ed Ewing, Montevallo; Melba Barrentine to Ralph Lollar and Mary Gene Marsh to David Depew, residing in New London, Conn. and Lawton, Okla., respectively.



Costume winners at SCA Party, left to right, are: Shirley Stabler, Barbara White, and Caroline Dickenson.

Test Required By Business Schools

The Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business, required for entrance by a number of graduate business schools or divisions throughout the county, will be offered on four dates during the coming year, according to Educational Testing Service, which prepares and administers the test.

During 1957-58, many students took the test in partial satisfaction of admission requirements of graduate business schools which prescribed it.

A candidate must make separate application for admission to each business school of his choice and should inquire of each whether it wishes him to take the Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business and when.

Since many business schools select their entering classes in the spring preceding their entrance, candidates for admission to the 1959 classes are advised to take the test at as early an administration as possible.

The Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business is not designed to test specific knowledge in specialized academic subjects. Normal under-graduate training should provide sufficient general knowledge to answer the test questions.

Applications and fees must be filed with the Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business, Educational Testing Service, 20 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey, at least two weeks before the testing date desired in order to allow ETS time to complete the necessary testing arrangements.

FUTURE FEATURES

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| Oct. 4 |Speech Clinic Open House |
| Oct. 6-10 |Honor Code Emphasis Week |
| Oct. 7 |Honor Code Emphasis Convocation |
| Oct. 12 |Chamber Music Series |
| Oct. 14 |Inauguration and Founder's Day |

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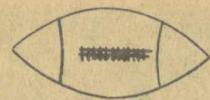
Good Season Seen For Men's Sports

By Knox Reynolds

Who says Alabama College doesn't have the excitement of Fall sports on its campus? If one looks around him he may see some of the male students of A.C. running to and from the field house in the afternoon after classes where they are working out in order to get in shape for the men's intramural touch football and volleyball programs.

With the arrival of a great number of new male students on the campus of A.C. the coaches and upperclassmen are looking forward to the best intramural program for men the college has ever witnessed.

To produce a winning team there is going to have to be a lot of hard teamwork and practice on the part of the players. There will also be a lot of hard work on the part of Coach Anderson, director of intramural program, and his staff.



SPORTS



Along with providing a lot of pleasure and fun, the intramural programs are designed to promote teamwork and friendship among the male students. The games are conducted in the good clean wholesome tradition of A.C.

The teams are organized by floors in the dorm, and will follow this schedule of playing:

Men's Touch Football Schedule

Sept. 23, Tuesday—1st East vs. 2nd West; 3rd West vs. 2nd West.

Sept. 25, Thursday—1st East vs. 3rd West; 2nd East vs. 2nd West.

Sept. 30, Tuesday—1st East vs. 2nd West; 2nd East vs. 3rd West.

Oct. 2, Thursday—1st East vs. 2nd East; 2nd West vs. 3rd West.

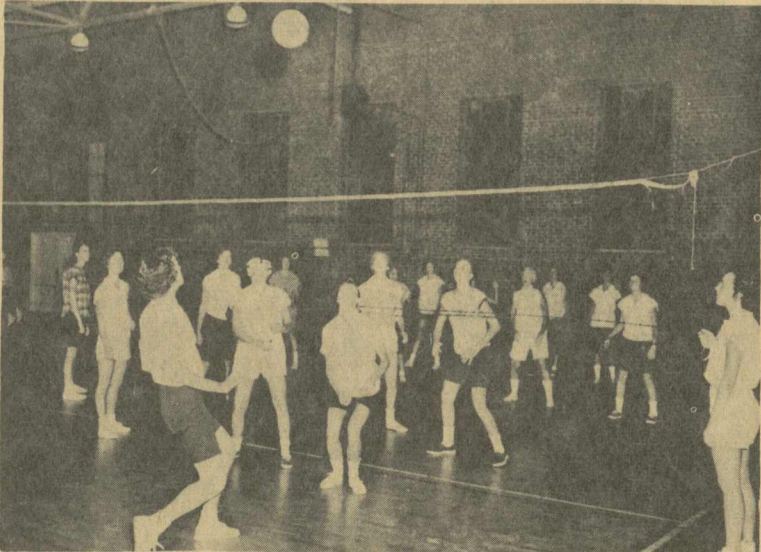
Oct. 7, Tuesday—1st East vs. 3rd West; 2nd East vs. 2nd West.

Oct. 9, Thursday—1st East vs. 2nd West; 2nd East vs. 3rd West.

Men's Volleyball Schedule

Sept. 22, Monday—3rd West vs. 2nd West; 2nd East vs. 1st East.

Sept. 24, Wednesday—2nd West



Tension mounts as action gets underway in girls' intramural volleyball ball.

Interest High In Girl's Volleyball

Hit that ball over! Serve to the back row! These are just a few of the exciting cries that are heard during volleyball tournament practice.

The girl's volleyball tournament began Monday, Sept. 15 at the field house. Teams practice Mon. through Thurs. at 4:30, and competition between the teams is already rising to a peak.

There have been very good turnouts thus far, and there is hope that even more will participate.

Intramurals provides a time for recreation and offers an individual an opportunity to meet and know the people participating.

Linda Sparkman is the volleyball counselor for this tournament. In the near future, a Round-Robin will be drawn up after which the play for the tournament will be drawn up.

2nd East Slams 1st East 18-0 In First Exhibition Football Game

The Alabama College Men's Intramural Touch Football season slapped into full swing Tuesday, Sept. 16, when 2nd East scored a smashing victory over 1st East by a 18 to 0 margin.

vs. 2nd East; 3rd West vs. 1st East.

Sept. 29, Monday—3rd West vs. 2nd East; 1st East vs. 2nd West.

Oct. 1, Wednesday—2nd East vs. 1st East; 3rd West vs. 2nd West.

Oct. 6, Monday—2nd West vs. 2nd East; 3rd West vs. 1st East.

Oct. 8, Wednesday—3rd West vs. 2nd East; 1st East vs. 2nd West.

These games will be written up in the Alabamian for your, the readers, convenience but your presence at the games will also be welcome. Come on down and support your team.

1st East won the toss and elected to receive. 1st East moved the ball to mid-field but lost the ball on downs.

With first down and touchdown to go, Stewart hit Roper with a 30 yard pass which moved 1st East to the five yard line. 1st East held their ground for three downs but on the fifth and last down Stewart passed six yards to Buddy South for a 2nd East T.D.

The two teams battled back and forth the remainder of the half with no threat of scoring.

With more than five minutes left in the second half, 2nd East's quarterback, Stewart passed to Fred Wood who ran the ball to the seven yard line and lateralled to Thrasher who scampered the remaining yardage for the T.D.

New Catalina Club Greets Members

The Catalina Club, synchronized swimming club, held its first meeting Tuesday night, Sept. 23, at the swimming pool.

Jeanette Edwards, club president extended an invitation to anyone interested in joining the club to be present at the next meeting to be held Tuesday night, Sept. 30.

Officers for the coming year are Jeanette Edwards, president; Emily Green, secretary; and Rosalie Hart, publicity chairman.

2nd East scored their final T.D. when Trasher intercepted a 1st East pass and walked the sideline 40 yards for a T.D.

1st East showed a strong defensive line led by Mills, Latham, Higginbottom, Doherty, and Weaver.

Tentative Schedule of Sports Activities, 1958-1959

Volleyball, Women	Sept. 15-Oct. 17
Touch Football and Volleyball (Two days each)	Sept. 15-Oct. 17
Tennis (Singles)	October 3
Gold Season	October 17-Nov. 1
Step Singing	Impromptu
Harvest Festival	November 22
Basketball, Women	October 27-Dec. 11
Basketball, Men	October 27-Jan. 15
Softball, Men and Women	March 16-April 30
Swimming Meet	April 23
Golf Season	April 29-May 9
Tennis (Doubles)	April 24
Archery	May 4-May 7
Catalina Club	May 6-7

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Four Scientists To Lead Symposium

Four nationally prominent scientists and social scientists will discuss the "Implications of the Atomic and Space Age for the Next Half Century", at Alabama College at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 14.

The science symposium will be held in Palmer Hall as a part of the day-long inaugural ceremonies when Alabama College will inaugurate Dr. Howard M. Phillips as the eighth president of the college. Dr. Phillips is a nationally known scientist.

Symposium participants will include Dr. Gilford G. Quarles, Chief Scientist of the United States Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal; Dr. Louis A. Pardue, Vice-President of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and a member of the Board of Directors, Oak Ridge Institute for Nuclear Studies; Dr. Dean Woffle, Executive officer of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; and Dr. Clanton Williams, President of the University of Houston.

Serving as symposium moderator will be Dr. S. E. Gerard Priestley, Professor of Social Science at Alabama College and former vice-chairman of the Speakers Research Committee for the United Nations.

The symposium will be the first event of the inaugural ceremonies expected to attract delegates from colleges and universities from throughout the nation. The actual investiture of Dr. Phillips as the college's eighth president will occur during the inaugural ceremonies scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m. in Palmer Hall.

Dr. Quarles has served as research associate on the staff of

the Harvard University Underwater Sound Laboratory. He is the author of numerous scientific works and is a member of the American Physical Society for Engineering Education, the American Ordinance Association, Sigma Xi, and Tau Beta Kappa.

Dr. Pardue has served with the government's Manhattan Project at the University of Chicago and Oak Ridge. He is a member of the American Physics Society, Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, and Phi Kappa Phi.

Dr. Woffle, who has been a member of the faculties of Ohio State, the University of Mississippi, and the University of Chicago, served with the Office of Scientific Research and Development and as advisor to the Signal Corps during World War II.

Dr. Clanton Williams, a former professor of history at the University of Alabama, was appointed president of the University of Houston in 1956. He is a member of the American, Mississippi Valley, Alabama and Southern Historical Associations and is the author of numerous historical books and articles.

Dr. Priestley, symposium moderator, holds six degrees in history, international economics, political science and philosophy. He is a leader in international education and annually conducts international affairs conferences on campuses throughout the nation.

For two years he served as moderator for the radio program, United Nations Forum of the Air, originating in New York City. He joined the Alabama College faculty last year.



DR. HOWARD PHILLIPS

Dr. F. E. Lund Inaugurated At Kenyon College

Delegates from 65 colleges and universities were at Kenyon College on Saturday, October 4, when Franze Edward Lund was installed as president of the 135 year old college.

Dr. Lund made the inaugural address and conferred honorary degrees on five distinguished Kenyon alumni and on the Bishop Coadjutor-elect in the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Ohio.

The Rt. Rev. Nelson M. Burroughs, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Ohio performed the induction. Bishop Burroughs is chairman of the board of trustees for 1958-59. About 1000 guests were at the inaugural luncheon.

Dean M. L. Orr represented Alabama College at the ceremony.

The subject of Dr. Lund's inaugural address was "The Burden of Freedom". His thesis was that the "most critical danger of our times is that we are threatened with the total corruption of the human ideal."

Dr. Lund took office at Kenyon in October 1957, succeeding the late Gordon Keith Chalmers. He was born in China and educated at Trinity College, University of Toronto; Washington and Lee; the University of Wisconsin; and Yale.

He holds an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Birmingham-Southern and before going to Kenyon was president of Alabama College at Montevallo.

CAMPUS QUEEN

By Pat Perreault

Full of life, a twinkle in her eye, and a smile on her face perfectly describes 18 year old Shannon Throckmorton, the Alabamian's choice for Campus Queen.

This 5' 3" Tusculumbia freshman cutie is majoring in music and hopes some day to make it pay in the concert hall. However, Shannon confessed to us that her secret ambition is to be a ballet dancer.

Full of enthusiasm about everything, Shannon said that she believes after she gets used to Alabama College she will really love it. Her hobbies include swimming, "cutting up with the girls on third", an avid interest in football, and most anything else you can think of.

Her music likes run to jazz and Shannon is quick to admit that she is wild about bop and especially Little Richard.

Like Pizza, foot long hot dogs, and red? Then you'll like Shannon.

Eighth President Is Inaugurated

Another day in the history of Alabama College will dawn October 14 with the inauguration of Dr. Howard Mitchell Phillips as the college's eighth president.

The policy of inaugurating Alabama College presidents at the beginning of their second year in office is traditional.

Accepting the presidency of this college in 1958, Dr. Phillips formerly served as Dean of Graduate School at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a biologist with an international reputation.

The day-long inaugural activities will begin with the registration of inaugural delegates and guests at 8:00 o'clock in Reynolds Hall.

Highlighting the morning will be a symposium on the "Implications of the Atomic and Space Age for the Next Half Century". Four nationally eminent scientists and social scientists will participate in the discussion.

Students will be dismissed from classes at 9:50 a.m. in order to attend the symposium scheduled for 10 a.m. in Palmer Hall auditorium. Classes will not be resumed.

Following the symposium will be an informal luncheon for official delegates and guests at 12:30 in the college dining room.

Climaxing the day's events will be the academic procession and inaugural ceremonies. The procession will begin at 2:15 p.m. from Reynolds Hall and proceed to Pal-

mer Hall auditorium. The ceremonies will begin at 2:30 p.m. Immediately following the ceremonies, a reception in the foyer of Main Dormitory will be held.

Inaugural delegates and guests are expected from colleges and universities throughout the United States.

Dr. Lund To Attend

Among the many guests will be Dr. F. Edward Lund, former president of Alabama College.

Dr. Phillips, the recipient of degrees from Wake Forest College and the University of Virginia, succeeds Dr. F. Edward Lund as President of Alabama College.

Since assuming the presidency, Dr. Phillips has been a frequent speaker on educational and scientific topics throughout the state.

At the present, he is chairman of several committees of the National Research Council. He is also a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Sciences, a member of the American Institute of Biological Sciences.

He has served as chairman of more than scientific committees and conferences, recently having been appointed chairman of the Alabama Committee on Nuclear Energy Studies.

Dr. Phillips is also a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Omicron Delta Kappa, Pi Kappa Alpha, Alpha Phi Omega, and Rotary International.

Montage Outlines Plans For '58 Elite Night

Seniors who were interested in becoming candidates for the Senior Elite have signed up. All of the candidates will be presented Elite Night and the winners will then be announced.

There was a slight change in the Senior Elite from previous years. There will be only one winner from each of the academic departments, instead of several winners from the same department, but in different phases of work.

Students who have signed are as follows:

Art, Bob Murray, Barbara Maul, and Margie Lane; Chemistry, Katherine Morton; Biology, Darrol Pharris, Jane Graham, Mayre Faucett, and Margaret Sue Harden; Margaret Ann Morgan; English, Beckie Gantt.

Education, Jane Venable, Barbara Walker, Elizabeth McHenry, Pat Hodges, and Patsy McAliley; Business Administration, Jackie Inman, Jessie Mae Lyles, Bette Joyce Wilson, and Alice Ketchum.

Math and Physics, Shirley Stabler, Neal Shirley, and Mary Helen Capell; Home Economics, Jade Higgins, Bertha Masterson, Barbara Lett, Billie Moore, Elsie Snellgrove, Mary Katharine Wilcon, Thelma Meyers, Barbara White, Judy Daniels, and Rosalind White.

Speech, Libby Queen, Ted Fuller, Carol Ann Lewis, Ann Riley, Harvey Fleming, Lena Hewston; Physical Education, Barbara Turner,

Sue Swann, Marilyn Hall, Gene McCutchen, Jane Rice.

Social Science, Jean Findley, Betty June Milam, Nancy McCary, LaRue Anderson, Frances Yarbrough, Shirley Langford, Ann Ratliff, and Patty Talley; Music, Jennie Cotney.

Miss Alabama College

Also to be announced during the Elite Night program will be the selection of Miss Alabama College.

Miss Alabama College is selected from the Senior class by the upperclassmen.

Candidates nominated by the Senior Class are Patty Talley, Jennie Cotney, Jackie Inman, Shirley Stabler, and Barbara Walker.

Class Favorites

Each of the four classes have nominated their five class favorites to appear on the Elite Night program. From these five, by class elections, the top two class favorites will be named.

Representing the Freshman class are Peachie Stabler, Frances Torricelli, Gerry Holmes, Ronnie Bryant, Butch Ellis.

Sophomore class favorites are Janan Adkins, Shirley Baker, Betty Baker, Jimmy Eddins, and Barbara Walker.

Those selected Junior class favorites are Jo Veal, Frances Benton, Janice Wood, Amalia Eppes, and Celeste Parker.

Seniors who are the top five favorites are Nadine Sexton, Barbara White, Patty Talley, Jane Graham, and Alice Ketchum.



Thumbing through the beauty section of Montage, pretty Shannon Throckmorton dreams of Elite Night victory.

The President's Corner

During the first few days following the opening of the College on September 11, one could observe varying degrees of homesickness among the students. This reaction on the part of most of the students was perfectly normal, but in certain cases, the anxiety became so pronounced that a few students withdrew from the College. It is



always an unfortunate experience for students to withdraw for this reason, because, in most cases, given a little more time, proper adjustments could have been made by the students. This is an occasion when one must learn to adjust quickly and to mature rapidly.

Though I should urge all of you to maintain close ties to your home, your relatives, and your friends left behind, it is equally important that you now become more independent—to become more mature. As you grow in intellectual maturity, you will find that your "home ties" will become more significant and meaningful. You will develop a deeper sense of appreciation for them as you continue to develop an even greater love and respect for your parents, your friends, and your home.

Nevertheless, even among the "seasoned" veterans in college, cases of loneliness and homesickness develop throughout the year. That is when you should concentrate more on your studies, participate more actively in student affairs, and enter into the wholesome activities provided on the campus, including sports and recreation. Attempt to broaden your circle of friends. Loneliness and homesickness will rapidly disappear.

May I also urge you to affiliate with the church of your choice. There are at least six organized churches in Montevallo. Permit one of them to become one of your "homes." Your college education should give you a deeper appreciation and understanding of the religion of your choice. Keep your church ties intact!

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Now that the "newness" of the college or the beginning of the first semester has disappeared, you should begin to concentrate more on your studies. Do not wait until your mid-term grades jar you into the necessity for serious study! Apply yourselves diligently, because you owe this dedicated effort to yourselves, your parents, your college and to the citizens who aid in providing great educational opportunities for you.

Many students do not realize that academic exclusion from one college prohibits admission to most of the other colleges in America. There are very few colleges that will admit a transfer student, unless that student is in good standing, and unless he would be readmitted to the college from which he desires to transfer.

Alabama College has one of the most beautiful campuses in the world. One of the focal points of interest and one of the places most people usually visit is Palmer. Because of the great amount of "traffic" in Palmer, it is very difficult to provide proper maintenance for the building. Vast improvements have been planned for Palmer, because we want you to develop an intense pride in the building as it continues to represent one of the centers of activity of Alabama College. Please help all of us improve Palmer by observing rules and regulations, especially by keeping the building more "ship-shape."

Honor And Honesty Are A Part Of Alabama College

Alabama College has functioning on its campus a code of conduct rules known as the honor system.

The honor code, as drawn up by the Student Government Association, serves as a reminder to each student that while he remains on the campus, it is his obligation to act according to the highest standards of honor and to promote the same spirit in others. The code was not set forth to put a damper on activities or to cut down on fun, but was given to remind everyone of the rules of college life. Try to imagine what it would be like if you tried to play volleyball without standard regulations. So it would be at Alabama College if everyone followed his own conduct or misconduct rules.

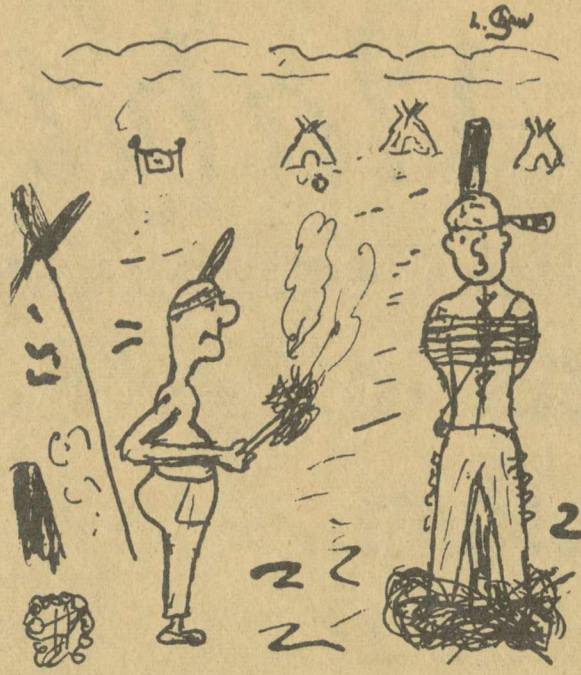
Honor and honesty are so much a part of Alabama College that one whole week is devoted to give it emphasis. One week of honor, however, is not the purpose of the honor code. Honor must be as much a part of our daily living as breathing, for each break down of honor only makes the next one come easier.

Do Your Job Then You Get Results

As each of us came back to school this year, we observed many changes since the spring semester. One of the obvious changes was that the Tea House had been painted. At present the Tea House is clean and neat. But how long will this last? The answer to this question depends upon the actions of the student body of Alabama College.

Each student can do his part to help keep the Tea House clean and neat. One method is by placing all trash in the cans provided for this purpose. It would take but a few seconds to place paper cups or other trash in the cans, and at the same time improve the appearance of the Tea House tremendously.

Many students have complained because the dancing section of the Tea House did not stay open longer hours. The reason it is closed is to clean it. Therefore, if each student did his own part, then the Tea House would not need this extra cleaning, and as a result the dancing section would remain open for longer hours.



Does this mean we're no longer friends, Chief Gray Fly?

Convocations -- A Problem Or Not?

By Margaret Tait

"Why do we have to attend convocation?" This question has been asked by freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors alike. Perhaps the question can best be answered by President Phillips' article in the September 27 issue of *The Alabamian*. "The primary objective of the faculty and staff of Alabama College is the maintenance of a top-quality program in education, so that you may acquire real, deep, and abundant knowledge." In reality, this means anything that occurs on campus therefore including convocations.

Another question brought up by the students is "Are the convocations really up to par?" Needless to say, anything that is of any value needs constant support and attention. As President Phillips puts it, "We intend to strive always to improve our quality." Improvement can be brought about by the students recognizing and sticking to their job of wanting to improve.

Talking to your roommate, talking in the teahouse, or telling your parents doesn't solve anything. What we need is a broadminded view of the situation. Then, and only then, are we in any way capable of making a decision or arriving at an answer.

When we do arrive at a logical way of improving our convocations and attendance, we must go to the

Should We 'Dress' For Convocation?

At Alabama College, Tuesday is the day designated as Convocation day. Other than this, it is very much the same as other school days.

Could we not give this day a little more emphasis? In addition to just having convocation, could this not also be a day in which the students paid special attention to their dress? This would not mean fancy dress but more so than just "regular school clothes".

Possibly to be included would be coats and ties for the men and heels and hose for the women. These would be worn the entire day (except in special classes such as Physical Education, etc.) but especially to convocation and dinner.

If any students have comments on this idea they are urged to contact members of the Executive Council or the Editor. Letters to the Editor would also be in order.

Another question that has been brought up is "Does the signing of attendance cards coincide with the honor code, or it is a sign of immaturity on the part of the student that shows his lack of knowledge on decisive matters?"

When students attend classes on their honor they are checked absent or present on roll—what is this? Is this a violation of the honor code? If so, why?

No attempt is made to give you the answers, that's your problem, and you, yourself, must see to it that your answers are logical.

Would a panel discussion on convocations consisting of faculty members, S.G.A. officials and students, be to your advantage?

Think about these questions, then let *The Alabamian* know your scholarly answers.

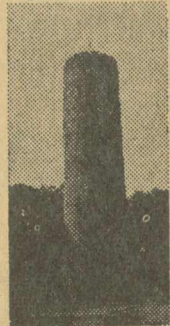
Portrait Play Of Modern Neurotic Is Presented

The College Theatre opens its 1958-59 season on October 20 and 21 with performance of Henrik Ibsen's *Hedda Gabler*.

Ibsen towered above all other authors of his age in displaying a greater combination of assured theatrical strength of penetratory vision, and of determined purpose. He revealed himself as a kind of massive symbol of all that his age sought for and achieved in dramatic form.

Among his many accomplish-

Rain! Rain! It seems as if it will never stop, but at least it is good sleeping and studying weather. Maybe it won't continue raining, for I know all of you want



to begin the extracurricular activities that rain will certainly spoil.

There's a general statement that I hear along the way — we fuss either about the weather or the food. On this subject I have a "news flash". Students at Alabama College are not fussing about the food, but instead if they were giving orchids, one would certainly go to the dining room staff.

I heard a group of students talking the other day, and they agreed that since school started the meals have been more than wonderful. They also like the procedure of having the large meal at night instead of during the day. May I add my little bit—congratulations and keep up the good work.

When I listened in on convocation last Tuesday, I was pleased to hear that the Student Government Association was in charge of the convocation. They did a marvelous job, and I am looking forward to hearing from them again. This seems to be an excellent way of informing the students of the operations of their government.

This past week on the campus has been Honor Week. Of course, here at the college I am as proud of the Honor Code and the Honor System as you are. I know that each of you further the system by actually following a definition of honor which is "A nice sense of what is right, just, and true". But it is your system and is what you make it.

ments was the delineation of at least one type of the "new woman" of the late 19th century. As he wrote of Hedda, a "new woman" a grim, slightly cynical smile must have touched his lips.

Hedda is a woman of birth who thinks that she has married beneath her, not one who aims to rise by her marriage. With skill Ibsen reveals the woman to us in the first act and draws her inevitably to her end in the succeeding three acts.

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Russian Tour Described By Psychology Professor

By Laura Bell La Borde

"A pleasant-like people" was the description of the Russian people given by Dr. Katherine Vickery at the International Relations Club meeting, when she spoke on her trip to the U.S.S.R.

Dr. Vickery recently visited behind the Iron Curtain as a part of an educational tour sponsored by the Teachers Trade Union. She and 70 other American teachers made the trip during the latter part of this summer.

"The Russian people are very curious about Americans," said Miss Vickery, "especially the high school boys, who are always wanting to swap pins for 'chew gum' and American pencils."

Their education system is similar to ours in several respects. "All the children belong to the Pioneer Club, Russia's youth movement, and are recognized by the red tie each member wears."

"On every school room wall you will find a picture of Lenin and occasionally one of Stalin. Sometimes there will be a bronze statue of Lenin in the school yard."

The Russian children are subject to severe discipline at the early age of two months, when their working mothers place them in the government run nursery school.

"The children begin learning English in the second grade and every year a new language is added," Dr. Vickery also said, "It is very hard for a student to enter the universities in Russia. They are thoroughly examined both mentally as well as physically before they are accepted."

Every Day Life

"Our breakfast usually consisted of cucumbers, two hard-boiled eggs—which hadn't been washed thoroughly—and tea since Russian coffee doesn't have a good flavor. We had sweet rolls for breakfast only once, which was very understandable when we learned they

cost thirty-five cents each," was Miss Vickery's description of a Russian breakfast.

She further said, "The hotels in Russia are reconstructed Czar palaces, and are lavishly furnished in velvet tapestries. In fact they are restoring these magnificent palaces instead of building better homes for the people."

"In some places you will find a whole family of ten or twelve members living in one room. Usually the apartments or rooms are walk-ups. The law says that if a building isn't over seven stories high the builder doesn't have to put in an elevator."

Non Denominational Noonday Devotions Sponsored By S. C. A.

Noonday, an activity of the Student Christian Association, has commenced on a new foot. This year individuals prepare and give their own devotionals. The idea of having a non-denominational devotion was to bring the students closer together in spiritual kinship and to eliminate designated days or weeks for each church.

Any student wishing to present his devotional will prepare his own topic of interest and then share it with the students in Reynolds dining room from 12 noon to approximately 12:15.

Ramona Hall, noonday chairman for S.C.A., has requested that all leaders of each denomination submit names of the students wishing to participate. She urges each and every student to join in and give of their time, for "these devotions come not from ministers and faculty, but from the students."

WRSD Buys New Records, Extends Broadcasting Time

By Christine Stewart

The WRSD Radio Station of Alabama College announces that it has many good programs and features for the coming year. WRSD is for your own enjoyment, and the station managers hope each of you will get acquainted with your local radio station.

Many new students have shown a great interest in the radio business, and the station has many new workers this year.

On Wednesday nights from 7:00 o'clock until 8:00 o'clock there will be a new show featuring the latest in jazz, pop, and other types of music. WRSD has been able to purchase many new records to be played on this and other programs.

WRSD has just extended its broadcasting time up one half hour from previously. In the future the station hopes to operate even more, especially in day time broadcasting. They also



Completing final plans for Elite Night are Rosalind White, Chairman; Jane Graham, Jackie Inman, and Ann Riley.

Nominees For Elite Night Beauties Are Selected

Choosing nominees for Elite Night has been the main item of business for most campus organizations during the past two weeks.

The girls nominated will represent their sponsoring organizations at the Elite Night program scheduled for October 25. Beauty was the only basis for selection.

The girls and their respective sponsors are: Barbara Walker, Alpha Lambda Delta; Jo Veal, Beta Beta Beta; Barbara Maul, Kappa Pi; Pat Hodges, Kappa Delta Pi; Jane Rice, Orchesis; Beverly Williams, Pi Delta Epsilon; Mary Ellen Grant, Zeta Phi Eta; Karen Mullins, Kappa Mu Epsilon.

Wynette Turner, Mu Delta Alpha; Pat Kelly, Physical Education Club; Bobbie Hopkins, Ushers Club; Rosalind White, Omicron Nu; Joy Andrews, Home

Economics Club; Pat Summerlin, English Club; Patty Talley, Tutwiler; Charlotte McKinney, Ramsay; Hilda Ocasio, Hanson; Shannon Throckmorton, Main.

Lavonne Taylor, Linda Bamberg, Joan Parsons, Judy Gunning, Napier; Jackie Inman, Montage; Betty Bowdon, Alabamian; Jennie Cotney, Lambda Sigma Pi; Margaret Ann Hackney, Theatre Council.

Myra Eiland, Sigma Alpha Sigma; Nan Jackson, International Relations Club; Janice Wood, Sociology Club; Frances Wharton, A. C. E.; Beth Lusk, Biology Club.

Linda Dunkin, Business Administration Club; Ann Power, Catalina Club; Lynn Camp, Retail Club; and Myrtle Headrick, "A" Club; and Shirley Stabler, Dietetics Club.

Music Series Begins Oct. 12

The first of the Chamber Music series will be presented Sunday, October 12, at 4:30 p.m. The program consists of the following:

A D Minor Trio by Mendelssohn.

A Faculty Trio: Dr. Maxine Davis, Mrs. Arthur Fraser, Mr. John Gay. A Trio Movement by C. P. E. Bach.

A Student Trio: Becky Martin, Mavis Bridges, Betty Lamb, Polly Holliday.

A Faculty Soloist: Miss Elizabeth Armstrong singing a group of French songs by Poulenc.

Duets: Two duets for violins by Mozart. Mr. John Gay, Mr. Harold Spradley.

This year the Chamber Music program is subsidized by the Coolidge Foundation, with whose assistance the Kroll Quartet will be featured on the November program.

Tryouts Announced

Tryouts for the next College Theatre production will be held in Reynolds Auditorium on October 16 and 17 at 4:00 p.m.

This sophisticated comedy, "Love for Love" by William Congreve will be presented on November 24 and 25.

"Love for Love" is representative of the Restoration period in English history when Charles II was restored to the throne of England. Upon his return he again licensed the theatres of Britain which had been destroyed during the reign of Oliver Cromwell.

In this type of drama, character and plot are very trivial and are of little significance. The emphasis is placed, rather, upon the brilliance of suit and the art of conversation.

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Fall Tourney Opens In Golf

The annual fall singles golf tournament for men and women will open October 17.

Handicap scores will be determined by the results of three previously played rounds of nine holes each before the official opening of the tournament.

Already students have shown a surmounting interest by those who have been practicing.

Top seeded players for the women's division based on last year's result is Pattie Crawford. Pattie was the runner-up last year.

Seeded in the men's division are the winners from last year, Ken Rochester and Donnie Jacks.

TEAM STANDINGS (Through October 3)

Men's Touch Football

Team	Won	Lost
3rd West	5	0
2nd East	4	1
1st East	2	3
2nd West	0	5

Volleyball

Team	Won	Lost
2nd East	4	0
3rd West	3	1
1st East	1	3
2nd West	0	4



Roy McCaig

SPORTS



Carolyn Moody

Football

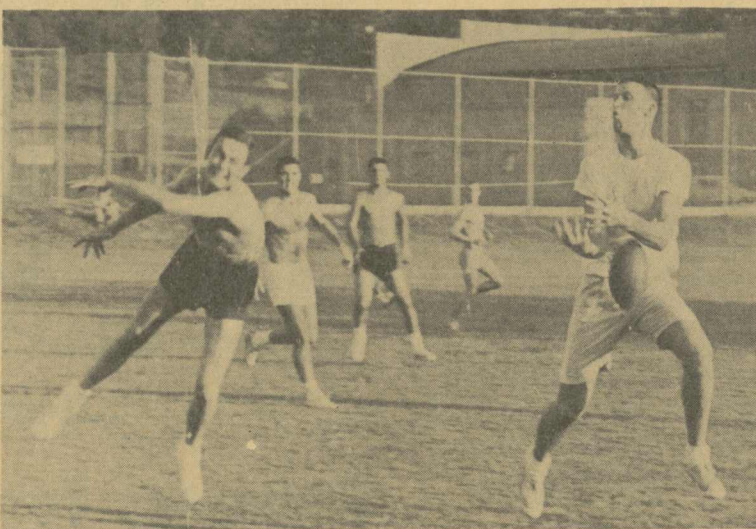
Third West remains unbeaten in intramural football play as they downed previously unbeaten Second East 12-6. The two teams played to a 0-0 first half tie.

Third West broke the ice early in the second half when quarterback Hayes passed to Godfrey for a Third West touchdown.

Minutes later Third West intercepted a Second East pass on about the 30 yard line. Third West quarterback Hayes, dropped back to pass, but could not spot an open receiver, tucked the ball under his arm and sprinted around his own left end for a 25 yard run. With the ball on the 5 yard line Hayes cut off left tackle into the end zone for Third West second touchdown.

Trying desperately to pull the game out of the fire, the Second East offense began to roll. Gary Holmes ran right for 15 yards which moved the ball deep into Third West territory. Running from a double wing, tailback Gary Holmes rolled out to his left and passed to Roper in the end for the Second East only touchdown.

This victory put Third West in undisputed possession of first place.



Hard-hitting Don Pruett slams Sid Godfrey with a pass during competition in men's touch football.

In other games played, Third West slipped past First East for a 6-0 victory.

Second East slammed First East twice in two weeks, 6-0 and 12-6.

A second half touchdown pass from Trasher to Arnold proved to be all Second East needed to nose out First East in the game. In the second game, Second East rallied twice in the second half to overcome a 6-0 First East lead, and won the game 12-6.

Seeded players in the men's division are Ray Tenderman, Jacob Avilu, Arthur Garrett, and John Scott.

Hanson Takes First Round

After a month of practice, the doubles elimination tournament of intramurals in girls volleyball opened October 7.

Intehest in sports is running high with a total of nine teams registered. Leading the list is Hanson supporting three teams, and Ramsay, Tut, and Main each supporting two teams.

Participating teams for the first playoff were Tut 1, Hanson 1, 2, 3, Ramsay 1, and Main 1. Hanson 3 in the match with Ramsay 1, displayed top notch team work with Betty Baker leading the team.

Exciting rallies added a tinge of flavor to the suspense of the match with the result being in Ramsay's favor, 4-15, 15-1, 13-18.

In the match between Tut 1 and Hanson 2, Tut 1 forfeited to Hanson 2, due to the absence of team winners. Hanson 1 tromped Main 1, 8-15, 15-1, and 15-6, with a rally beginning after the first game.

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Tennis

The annual singles tennis tournament opened October 2 with seventy-five participants.

The women's division, which is opened to all players, included intermediate and advanced rankings. Only one division is open to men students.

Seeded players for the women students include Pat Kelly, Patty Talley, Jane Rice, and B. J. Vogel.

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YES ☐ NO ☐



Would you be completely at ease if you found yourself suddenly in the spotlight at a social gathering?

YES ☐ NO ☐



When you're very hungry, do you like to try out strange foods?

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Would you vote for establishing an international language other than English?

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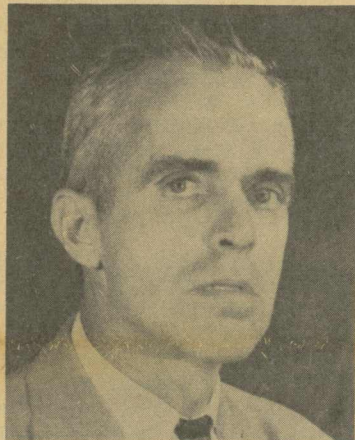
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Shirley Stabler New Miss Alabama College

Seniors Dedicate 1958-59 Montage To Mr. Murray Flynn

The 1959 MONTAGE and the Elite Night ceremonies were dedicated to Murray C. Flynn, assistant professor of economics. This dedication is one of the highest honors bestowed to a faculty or administrative member of Alabama College.

"He is by nature quiet and modest—a true scholar, devoted to many fields of human knowledge. This is, in a sense, a recognition of his devotion to students and to scholarship, and to Alabama College," said Jane Graham, MONTAGE editor, in her presentation.



MR. MURRAY FLYNN

Mr. Flynn has served Alabama College for thirteen years.

The selection was made on the vote of the senior class. Previously, the MONTAGE staff has selected the person receiving the dedication.

A native Texan, Mr. Flynn received his bachelor's degree from the University of Kansas. He did his graduate work at the University of Texas.

Mr. Flynn is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He is also affiliated

with the Southern Economic Assistants of the American Association of University Professors.

Before coming to Alabama College, he taught at Hardin Simmons University in Abilene, Texas.

Dr. Boozer To Speak Here For Religious Emphasis Week

Dr. Jack S. Boozer of Emory University will be the speaker for Religious Emphasis Week, Oct. 28, 29, and 30.

Dr. Boozer is a native of Alabama and has attended schools here in the state.

He did his undergraduate work at Emory. Dr. Boozer received his Bachelor of Divinity from Emory School of Theology and his Doctor of Philosophy from Boston University.

Dr. Boozer has served as assistant professor of Bible, professor and chairman of the Department of Bible and Religion at Emory. He has also served as faculty member in the Institute of Liberal Arts in the graduate school at Emory. Dr. Boozer holds membership in Alabama Methodist Conference.

In addition to teaching at Emory, Dr. Boozer has held several pastorates, one in the New England States and has also served as assistant pastor at Glenn Memorial.

The students of Alabama College will be given an opportunity to meet and talk with Dr. Boozer at several informal teas to be held in Tutwiler lobby. The teas will be sponsored by Wesley Fellowship.



SHIRLEY STABLER

Stabler Chosen For Highest Honor By Student Body

Grace, charm, poise, personality—all sum up Miss Alabama College of 1959—Shirley Stabler, who exemplifies the true spirit of Alabama College.

The title of Miss Alabama College is the highest honor students bestow on one person.

The presentation of Miss Alabama College climaxed the Elite Night ceremonies held at Palmer Hall on Oct. 25.

Other candidates for the title were Jennie Cotney, Barbara Walker, Jackie Inman, and Patty Talley.

All the candidates were presented to the audience. Following the intermission, Jane Graham, Montage Editor, presented Shirley as the winner, who was unaware of her selection until the presentation.

Her radiating personality has gained her the offices of president of the freshman class, Tutwiler Dormitory, and the interhouse council. Shirley has also served as secretary and vice president of the Student Government Association. She is also a member of Lambda Sigma Pi, senior women's honorary fraternity.

Elite Night honors are certainly not new for this versatile senior. She was chosen as sophomore and junior class favorite and was also named to the Senior Elite in mathematics and physics.

Shirley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stabler of Greenville. She has a brother and a sister, Peachie, who is a freshman at Alabama College this year.

A mathematics major, Shirley plans to teach following her January graduation.

Hobbies of this attractive title-winner include sewing and writing letters. She is also an ardent enthusiast for all outdoor sports, semi-classical music, and practice teaching at the Montevallo High School.

Shirley sums up her own standing in saying: "To me the title of Miss Alabama College symbolizes the high ideals of this school, and I feel that the person to whom this title is bestowed upon should be one who has loved and served the school; one who will continue to be a credit to the college."

Possible Student Tour Of Europe Discussed and Program Outlined

Mr. John Verdegall of the Netherlands Office of Foreign Student Relations discussed the Summer Seminar Abroad during his recent visit on the campus.

Beginning in mid-June, the Seminar will include five weeks of residence in Holland. Here students will study the arts and humanities or the social sciences of Europe. Also to be included in the Seminar will be various excursions to other countries.

The estimated cost of this Seminar is \$565. If students wish to stay an additional three weeks on their own, the expenses will

be more. This estimate includes transportation, room and board, trips, and tuition.

Other tentative plans include meeting six to eight hundred students in New York. On the boat, orientation programs will be offered, including language training.

The Seminar will be staffed by one member of the Alabama College faculty and several European lecturers.

All of these plans for the Seminar are subject to the final approval of the Alabama College faculty. They will be submitted in November.

Venable Announces Plans Underway For Drives Week, Nov. 5-8; Goal \$800

By Madge Barnard

A goal of \$800 has been set for Drives Week, which will be held at Alabama College November 5-8.

Jane Venable, general chairman, gave this reason for Drives Week. "Instead of giving to various charities throughout the year, one week is set aside to raise money to make donations to the charities of our choice."

Assisting Jane in making preparations for the activities are Laura Bailey and Ray Jones, assistant co-chairmen; Laura Della Gray, secretary; Barbara Walker, treasurer; Liz Edwards and Ray Lenderman, publicity co-chairmen; and Billie Sue Connelly, ticket chairman.

To lead off activities, a special convocation is planned for Tuesday, November 4. At this time Jane Venable, Laura Bailey, and Ray Jones will explain Drives Week and will give further details on the forthcoming events.

Suppressed Desires Day is set for Wednesday, November 5. On this day certain rules are permitted to be broken by the paying of the proper fee.

The highlight of the evening will be the Senior Auction at 7:30 at Reynolds Hall. Judy

Cain has been appointed auctioneer and will present each senior on the auction block.

Parade Is Planned

A parade will be the feature at 11:00 on Thursday. Cars with decorations and posters depicting Drives Week activities and a student band with majorettes will form the cavalcade.

Skit Night is scheduled for Thursday night at 7:15 at Palmer Auditorium. Each dorm will present a twenty minute skit as will members of the faculty.

The two top skits will be chosen by judges and recognized at the conclusion of the program. Janice Wood is in charge of the event. Admission will be charged.

Again the students and faculty will compete. This time in the Student-Faculty Volleyball Game in Bibb Graves Hall at 7:00 Thursday. The student team members will be selected from the girls intramurals teams.

Following the ball game, there will be a Sadie Hawkins dance. As a unique feature, the girls will ask the boys and will pay the twenty-five cents admission fee for couples. There will be a student dance band and a student floor-show.



Jane Venable, Drives Week Chairman, and Ray Jones, Co-Chairman, raise the Drives Week Banner.

Ugliest Man Contest

Part of the entertainment will be the crowning of the Ugly Man. Each of the girls' dorms will nominate three men for the contest. Voting will take place in the Tea House by the penny a vote method. Also a feature of the dance will

be the cake walk. Faculty members will donate cakes which will be sold during the dance. Hal Parsons heads the dance planning committee while Terry Langford and Pat Perreault have charge of the cake walk.

Car washes on Saturday will climax the Drives Week activities.

Tower Deadline For Entries Nov. 7

Plans for the 1958-59 Tower have been announced by Bob Murray, editor. Because the Tower is now included in the SGA budget it will be distributed to the student body free of charge. Subscription rates for faculty, administration, staff, and alumni will be \$.50 per copy. The deadline is set for Nov. 13.

The students, faculty, staff, and administration are asked to contribute stories, essays, poems etc. The deadline for these contributions is Nov. 7. They should be given to Bob Murray or dropped in Hand Mail, Box 1051.

Contributions will be read by the Tower editorial staff, Bob Murray, Pat Perreault, Margaret Tait, Bettilee Stain, and the faculty advisory committee.

Think Before You Speak

A rumor, as defined by Webster's Dictionary, is "a story current but not authenticated". Due to the human weakness of enjoying and spreading bits of gossip whether good or bad, many rumors have occurred.

This has been especially true on campus during the last few weeks concerning many activities. Unfortunately, sometimes students were involved in these. We are lucky that no harm has been done; however, if this situation continues many students may find themselves in an uncomfortable position, and this student may be *you*.

Upon hearing information, the truth of which may be doubted, check all of the facts possible before spreading the news. If the facts involved in a certain instance cannot readily be obtained, see the proper officials for verification.

The tongue can become a dangerous thing. Use it wisely and don't be guilty of beginning or spreading rumors.

From The President's Desk

Much has been said, perhaps much too much, with regard to the requirements of signatures of students on the Identification Cards and Honor Code. Though some of the statements possess merit, many of them border on the absurd and asinine. Perhaps the latter type of statement has originated as a result of misunderstandings. For this reason, an attempt will be made further to clarify the situation.



American institutions of higher education generally employ two methods of control relative to behavior and honor. Many colleges and universities function completely under a "proctoring" system. Under this system members of the administration and faculty "enforce order and obedience." All quizzes and examinations are "proctored" by faculty members. All investigations, courts, decisions and penalties are administered by faculty and staff.

The second method employed by a number of outstanding colleges and universities, including Alabama College, is the Honor System. The Honor System varies somewhat from institution to institution, but there are many basic principles that are common to all of the systems. Usually the Honor System is an integral part of the student government on a campus. Though the faculty and staff are an inherent part of it, the Honor System is generally administered primarily by the students.

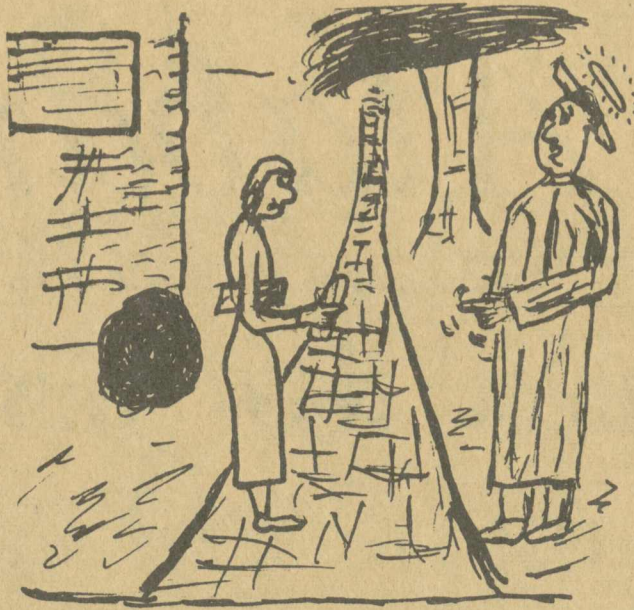
Student Government was authorized at Alabama College in 1916. When the Judicial Branch was established by Article VII of the Student Government Constitution, provision was made for administering the Honor System by the Courts. The Student Government, including the Honor System, has been approved by the Board of Trustees, the Faculty, the Staff, and the Students. Any student who has registered at Alabama College, and any faculty or staff member who has been employed by the College since the inauguration of Student Government, has ipso facto become a legal and inherent part of the total system, including the Honor Code. The matter of choice does not exist! It never has existed!

Among the several good reasons for changing the signature procedure, one was particularly outstanding. Last year it was discovered that many students did not sign the Honor Code. More importantly, many of those who failed to sign assumed that they were "immunized" to the rules, regulations, and penalties of the Student Government. Not only did this idea exist generally among students, it was frequently brought forward as a defense at the several court trials. Actually all students at Alabama College are subject to the same rules and regulations whether or not they have signed the Honor Code.

Some one has suggested that signing the Honor Code reflects on the honor and integrity of the person. Certainly this is not the intent at Alabama College. If signing the Honor Code represents an unsavory reflection on the honor of the person, or if it should imply inherent dishonesty, one could assume equally well that a Pledge of Allegiance to the U. S. Flag basically assumes that a person is either subversive, or a traitor, or an espionage agent. Moreover, all of us must remember that not a single one of us is perfect. To assume perfection is completely unrealistic and untrue!

Admittedly some of the misunderstanding about "the signing" would not have occurred had the student body been properly forewarned. Apparently a case of poor communication occurred, because this matter was fully discussed with SGA officers during the Spring Semester of 1958, and an agreement was reached by the officers and the administration of the College. Moreover the following statement appears in the SGA Handbook, p. 21, "During registration the Honor Code Cards will be signed."

Signing the Honor Code is not unusual in institutions of higher learning. Most of the institutions that have an Honor System require a signature designating your acceptance of the system. In some institutions the signature is required on a separate card; in others it merely becomes a part of the registration signature. All that is asked of each student as he or she signs the Honor Code is an expression of a willingness to accept a responsibility, during the period of registration at Alabama College, to the best of his or her ability, to refrain from every form of dishonesty and to create a spirit of honesty and honor. Any student who is unwilling to assume this attitude needs to do some extensive soul-searching. Where do you stand, if you aren't willing openly to support honor and honesty?



"Now for the last time where is your Rat Hat?"

The Senate--

Your Student Government

Unless the student body is familiar with the leaders in their government, and the duties of those leaders, an organized and efficient system is an impossibility. As the merits of the Executive Council, which is vested with all powers of enforcement, have been brought to the attention of the students, it is expedient that those attributes of the legislative branch of student government, the Senate, be enumerated.

In quoting from the student government handbook, we present the main function of the Senate.

"All legislative power shall be vested in the Senate. The legislative authority of the Student Senate shall be extended to matters of student activities expressly indicated in this Constitution and to such other matters as may be assigned to it."

One manifestation of Senate work that every student should be familiar with by now is the responsibility of the Senators to raise the American flag and to see that convocation flags are put up at the proper times.

The President of the Senate serves on the Handbook Committee, the Election Committee, the Election Committee for campus-wide elections, and presents a condensed report of the work of the year at the annual meeting of the Student Government Association.

Senate meetings, which are held semi-monthly and on the call of the President of the Senate, are open to all members of the student body.

From now on, when notice is given of a Senate meeting, it is advisable that students, in order to indicate interest in student government and uphold the principles for which the government stands, make an effort to attend these meetings.

It is here, the Student Senate, that any ideas concerning any phase of student government.

The Senators, elected from the student body, have an obligation to other students to make possible the best form of government. In turn, all students have the responsibility of seeing that their elected Senators work toward this end.

From The Editor

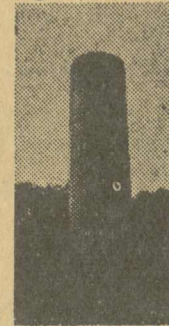
In the last issue of The Alabamian was an article concerning convocation dress. I have heard many varied comments. If anyone would care to comment on this and other articles they are urged to write letters to the Editor.

However, Letters to the Editor need not be only about articles appearing in the paper. They can be about any subject of interest on campus, but to be printed they must be signed.

Letters to the Editor is only one of the many ways by which students may express their opinions of happenings on campus. They may attend senate meetings, or talk with members of the Executive Council, and other ways.

TOWER TALKS

First of all, may I say congratulations to all the Elite Night winners. All of us are proud of you and also hats off to the Montage staff for one of the best Elite Night performances on campus.



I heard that Gary Moore was to select the top six beauties to appear in the Montage. I can't wait until Dec. 6 and the announcement of the top six.

Seems as if a few old familiar faces are on campus tonight for Elite Night. Especially do I notice some members of the '58 class. Welcome back!

Well, at long last, they did. Who? What? Of course, I knew the Seniors were marching sooner than usual, but I just didn't want to tell you—it would have spoiled the fun. It really sounded like fun early Friday morning as the Sophomores quickly became Indians with war dances. I couldn't help but get a scent of the Juniors as they were transformed into pigs even with Blue Waltz. But it was all fun and enjoyed by Seniors and underclassmen alike.

Over at the Alabamian office, all staff members are excited and making many plans. The Alabamian has printed the last four page paper. In the future all editions will be six pages. This will help in giving more news of student interest.

I've noticed that the Freshmen have been keeping up their "Rat Hats" recently. Could it be because upperclassmen are now actually "making them". More power to all of you, but especially a note to the freshmen. Don't look upon these as forced regulations, but rather regard them as privileges—and an honor to have part in them.

Bulletin Board To Be Erected

For the benefit of all students, especially those who commute, a glass enclosed bulletin board will be placed in front of the Tea House.

This bulletin board will serve as a central source of all announcements. If any announcements are to be made, they should be posted here.

The student senate will be in charge of keeping the board attractive at all times.

FUTURE FEATURES

- Oct. 28-30 Religious Emphasis Convocation
- Oct. 29—Concert and Lecture Event, Theodore Ullman, Pianist
- Nov. 1 Fall Golf Tournament Finals
- Nov. 3 Bruce Tolbert, Tenor
- Nov. 5-8 Drives Week

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YOUR SENATE SPEAKS

The Alabama College Senate has already gotten underway to a big start with many plans for the year. Recently the Advisory Council held a meeting and discussed many problems that came up before the Senate. These various problems were brought up at the last Senate meeting.

The S.G.A. hopes to present a program soon which will stress convocation conduct to the students. The program will be in the form of a panel discussion made up of students, faculty members, and a S.G.A. official.

A new bulletin board will soon be purchased and placed in front of the tea house. This bulletin board will furnish adequate information about campus activities which will be carried on. It will be very helpful to commuters as well as other students.

In the past it has been very inconvenient for day students to come to classes when Stop Day is being observed. In the future, those students living within a radius of ten miles of the college will be notified by letter a few days before that Stop Day will be observed.

A proposal was also presented about wearing short shorts in the dancing area and book store of the tea house. This proposal was handed over to the Handbook committee for further discussion.

Recommendations for having a standard ring for seniors at Alabama College was presented at the meeting. The Senate members voted upon the recommendations, and discussed having a standard ring.

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Jane Rice Alabamian's Choice For Campus Queen

By Pat Perreault

Anyone for tennis . . .? Then meet vivacious Jane Rice, senior Physical Education major from Mobile, Alabama. Jane who is exactly 5'2" loves sports and where there is music you'll find our Campus Queen in the midst, dancing till the last song is played.

Since she entered Alabama College her freshman year, Jane has been active on campus. Gold cabi-

net and cheerleader, Orchesis, Catalina Club, and acting as a Recreation Board member take a great deal of time, but this pretty brunette still has time to enjoy life and make lots of friends.

Last summer was spent recuperating from a broken arm and doing volunteer work at the Mobile rehabilitation center. However, Jane hopes to go to camp next summer and perhaps seek an overseas recreation job.

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IRCPanel Pays Tribute To UN

The past week of October 19-25 was set aside in the United States as United Nations Week.

At Alabama College tribute was also paid to this organization.

Using the United Nations prayer as an invocation, the International Relations Club presented a panel discussion program at convocation Tuesday, October 21. Among the issues discussed, special emphasis was given to the Formosa and Quemoy problem.

Participating on the panel were both members of the faculty and student body. The faculty members were Dr. Gerard Priestley and Dr. John Walters. Dr. Anne Eastman was the panel moderator. The student members of the panel were Ray Lenderman, Pru Menzies, and Terry Langford.

Serving on a special research committee for this program were Chris Angele, Charles Jones, Paul Kiparsky and Don Lowry.

Concert Series Features Pianist

October 29th is the date set for the appearance of Theodore Ullman, pianist, who is the first guest artist in the Concert and Lecture Series.

A graduate of Columbia University, and a post-graduate "with highest honors" of Julliard School of Music, Mr. Ullman made his New York debut at Steinway Hall in 1932.

He has since broadcast over all the major American radio networks and has given solo piano recitals in all the forty-eight states, as well as in nine of the countries of Western Europe.

His program on Wednesday, October 29, at 8:15 p.m., will include Beethoven and Brahms Sonatas and Prelude in C Sharp Minor by Rachmaninoff.

Growth Of College Adds Watchmen

Who are the men who keep watch over the peace and safety of our campus at night? Generally we vaguely appreciate them. There are three: Mr. Harper, Mr. H. Hall, and Mr. Charlie Adams. Although aware that night work is perhaps not the most desirable, they all are pleased with their jobs.

Mr. Hall was born in Tuscaloosa county and worked for thirty years in the Cahaba Field coal mines. As he picturesquely puts it, he "used to crawl out of those little gopher holes in the mountainsides." He is married and has five children who live from California to Georgia and points between.

Mr. Adams is married and has six sons and daughters of whom he is justly proud. One of the sons has an important position with the Redstone Arsenal at Huntsville.

Unusual "Watchman"

The fourth "watchman" is a big-footed German shepherd named Rex. He is fond of patrolling with the men, but always goes to sleep when they settle in one place.

Strange Sights Seen

Before this year Mr. Adams and Rex were the entire staff. They had worked here twelve years. Mr. Adams says he has seen interesting events when AC was an all-girl school.

The dorms were not locked at night, and once two boys entered and stole billfolds from a room on second west. A cry went out but before he could reach the scene the boys were dashing out the front gate, never to be caught.

Another exciting moment occurred when, late one night, a girl was discovered scaling the water tower. She merely wanted exercise, which was odd since she lived on the third floor.

Once in the middle of the night Mr. Adams made a routine check of the kitchen; hearing a noise he switched on the light to reveal two girls hiding under benches and a third behind a stove. Three dishes piled high with food from the ice-box explained why they had concealed themselves when they heard his approach.

Mr. Adams observed that most of the freshmen girls cry at the thought of leaving home; but all of them cry doubly when they become seniors and leave their college home.

Mr. Hall and Mr. Harper joined the staff last fall due to the growth of the college. The new coed system led Mr. Adams to say, "The young men here have caused great changes but no problem, as they have conducted themselves extremely well."

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Gary Moore Selects Top Six Beauties

Gary Moore, CBS television star, will select the top six beauties to appear in this year's Montage.

From the 37 contestants sponsored by campus organizations, fifteen were selected tonight by three judges.

Judges were John Bloomer, state editor of the Birmingham News, James B. Chenoweth, promotion director of station WAPI-TV, Birmingham, and Mrs. Madera Spence, society editor of the The Montgomery Advertiser.

Pictures of these top fifteen beauties will be forwarded to Gary Moore for the final selection. The top six beauties will be presented at the Junior Dance-Beauty Ball Dec. 6.

College Seniors Receive Honors

Sixteen Alabama College Seniors received the honor of being listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities during Elite Night ceremonies here tonight.

Twenty-five seniors from a class of eighty-six were nominated by faculty vote. The final sixteen were selected by the vote of the upperclassmen.

Seniors elected were Mary Helen Capell, Jennie Cotney, Jane Graham, Polly Holliday, Jackie Inman, Alice Ketchum, Gene McCutchen, Bertha Masterson, Katherine Morton, Bob Murray.

Neal Shirley, Shirley Stabler, Patty Talley, Barbara Waker, Barbara White, and Mary Katharine Wilson.

WHO'S WHO—Left to right, first row, Shirley Stabler, Neal Shirley, Gene McCutchen, Bob Murray, Mary Helen Capell, Patty Talley, Jackie Inman, Polly Holliday; second row, Katherine Morton, Mary Katharine Wilson, Barbara Walker, Jane Graham, Alice Ketchum, Bertha Masterson, Jennie Cotney, Barbara White.



Who's Who In American Colleges And Universities

"Have Aromas From Diplomas Must Comment!"

Juniors and Sophomores are very much in favor of the traditional visit of the Seniors to their dormitories in the early morning hours.

The black clad figure causes a tremor of excitement and expectancy—after the initial period of anger or disgust at being awakened. At any rate, there is much humor and enjoyment derived from the Seniors marching as long as it is planned. No one likes disappointment!

Pattie Crawford remarked, "I think it's a good idea! Nothing like class participation and spirit at 4:00 in the morning!"

Bettilee Stain favors the idea due to the tradition. "Certainly doesn't happen in any other college that I know of. Perhaps there should be more careful planning so as not to be injurious to our health."

"I like it, but I think they should use another brand of perfume than Blue Waltz," says Joyce Chitwood. "It gives the Seniors a feeling of importance for they give the commands that night."

Jo Veal is all for it, but thinks it is a success only if the whole class participates.

"For grown young women it appears juvenile; however, this is our last fling, so let's enjoy it," says Laura Belle LaBorde. She added, "I think it's fun, and we can look forward to it as something different. It takes the dryness out of the atmosphere."

Mable Austin agrees it is a good idea that draws the seniors and juniors together.

"Everyone looks forward to the Seniors marching and to becoming a Senior so she can march," says Joan Rabbie.

Janice Wood maintains it is a great part of the tradition of A.C., and loads of fun when we planned!

Jo Stojcich—"One of the best things that happens around this place!"

"Adds unity between the classes. I like it," says Shirley Baker.

Winners Of Senior Elite Selected By Upperclassmen

Announcement of the winners of the Senior Elite was one of the highlights of the annual Elite Night program.

Previously, the Seniors had signed up in their major fields. The winners were selected by the popular vote of upperclassmen.

Winners of the Senior Elite are: Art, Barbara Maul; Biology, Jane Graham, Business Administration, Jackie Inman; Chemistry, Katherine Morton; Education, Barbara Walker; English, Beckie Gant; Home Economics, Rosalind White.

Math-Physics, Shirley Stabler; Music, Jennie Cotney; Physical Education, Sue Swann; Psychology, Beverly Williams; Social Science, Jean Findlay; and Speech, Harvey Fleming.

The Alabamian Presents--

Class Favorites

Annual Elite Night Program Presents Class Finalists

The top two class favorites were selected, but their identity was secret until the announcement tonight.

Frances Torricelli and Gerry Holmes were winners from the Freshman class. Other finalists were Peachie Stabler, Bonnie Bryant, and Butch Ellis.

Shirley Baker and Jimmy Eddins were selected as the Sophomore class favorites, with Jean Adkins, Betty Baker and Barbara Walker as other candidates.

Representing the Junior Class were Jo Veal, Frances Benton, Janice Wood, Amelia Eppes, and Celeste Parker. The winners are Frances Benton and Amelia Eppes.

Nadine Sexton and Patty Talley were chosen as the final Senior Class Favorites. Other candidates were Barbara White, Jane Graham and Alice Ketchum.



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Preparing for golf tournament: Eddie Higginbottom and Sidney Godfrey.

Golf Tournament Now Underway

On October 23, the annual golf tournament opened on the new 36-hole golf course.

The first 18 holes will be played off by October 27. From the scores of these first 18 holes the matches for the second 18 holes will be paired off according to similarities in scores. The second 18 holes will be played off by Saturday, Nov. 1.

All score cards are to be turned in to Flora Clark and Ralph Thrasher, golf counselors for the tournament.

Transportation will be furnished October 25 and November 1 for those students participating.

FINAL STANDINGS MEN'S FOOTBALL

	Won	Lost
3rd West	5	1
2nd East	5	1
1st East	2	3
2nd West	0	5

Men's Basketball League Organized

The 1958-59 Men's Intramural Basketball season will begin Wednesday, Oct. 29. Two games are scheduled for 7:00 and 8:00 p.m.

At a recent organization meeting of all men students, it was decided that the dorm would be divided into seven teams representing the floors. Each team may have two commuter students, with the exception of first west, which may have five commuters. Also, any student who does not wish to represent his floor may play with another team if he desires.

Captains for the teams are: 1st East, Roy McCaig; 1st West, Howard Rogers; 2nd West, Jerry Barton; 3rd West, Sidney Godfrey; 3rd East, Bennie Childress. Second East entered two teams and the captains are Bob Gardner and Ellis Faught.

Sports Blasts

Something new has been added in men's intramural sports competition this year—a point system. Napier Hall has been divided by floors, and receive points for their participation in all sports events; 25 points are awarded for a championship and 15 points for a runner-up. At the end of the year, a trophy will be awarded the floor with the largest number of points.

Second East won the volley ball tournament by downing Third West two games to none in the best two out of three championship series.

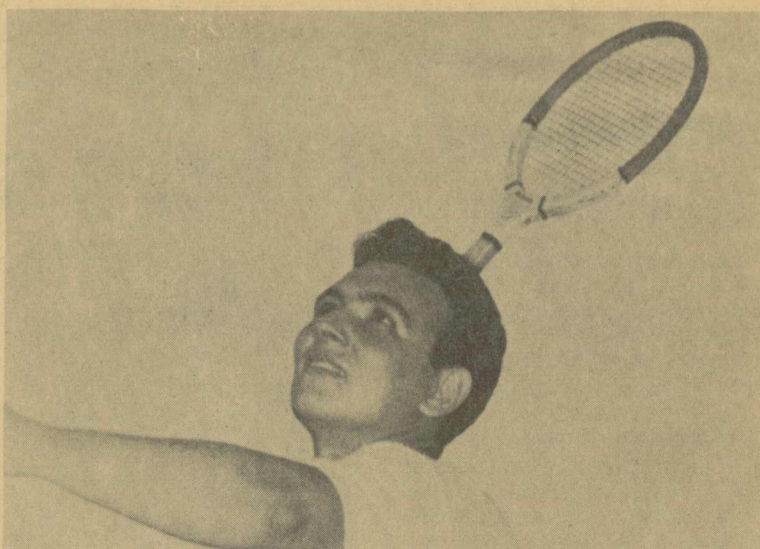
The basketball season is just around the corner, with the regular season beginning next week. Looking over the rosters the teams are packed with talent. Second East sporting two teams will be in the thick of the race, along with Third West and First East.

Women's Basketball Intramurals Oct. 7

The annual women's intramurals in basketball opens October 27, lasting through December 11.

Practice will be held at 4:30 each afternoon for two weeks, followed by a round robin tournament. After this preliminary tournament, the final playoff will begin.

Anyone interested should contact Laura Bailey, basketball counselor.



In action is the new tennis champ, Yaco Avila.

Avila Is New Tennis Champ

Yaco Avila defeated Arthur Garrett 6-0, 6-1, 6-0 to become Alabama College men's singles tennis champion.

An after the game interview revealed that Yaco is a relatively new player. He stated that before leaving his home in Venezuela two years ago, he had never played tennis before.

He developed his interest from playing ping pong at the University

of Alabama, and there he was coached in tennis.

He hopes to continue so that he will become better and perhaps win even bigger victories.

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Do you enjoy adapting yourself to new conditions?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Do you always look at the directions before using a complicated new appliance?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Have you ever thought seriously of spending a long period alone somewhere ... writing, painting or getting some major independent task done?

YES ☐ NO ☐



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Preparing to sign out before leaving to attend the A.C.P. conference in Chicago are: Stevie Funke, Sylvia Pound, Jackie Inman, Jane Graham, and Laura LaBorde.

Five Students To Attend Convention In Chicago

The Associated Collegiate Press will hold its 34th annual conference at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago November 13-15.

Representing Alabama College are: Stevie Funke, circulation manager of the Alabamian; Sylvia Pound, make-up editor of the Alabamian; Jane Graham, editor of the Montage; and Jackie Inman, business manager of the Montage, and Laura Belle LaBorde, member of the Alabamian and Montage staffs.

Mrs. Sara Morgan, chairman of the Publications Board, will accompany the delegates.

The program includes panel discussions in which the students will participate, and well-known speakers in the area of journalism.

Such topics as the Role of Humor, Staff Organizations and Incentives, Editorial Writing, Writing the News, the Newspaper and the College Community, and the Newspaper and Student Government are to be discussed by the newspaper delegates.

Aid on features, news, sports, editorials, science, and column

writing will be given by professional journalists from Chicago newspaper.s

Discussions for yearbook delegates are to be the Modern College Yearbook, Editorial Staff Organization and Management, Yearbook design and subjects helpful in financing yearbooks.

Jackie Inman has been asked to take part in one of the panel discussions.

Clark Mullenhoff of the Washington Bureau of the Des Moines Register and Tribune will speak Friday. Mr. Mullenhoff is the 1958 Pulitzer Prize Winner for Labor Racket reporting.

Al Capp, creator of the Li'l Abner comic strip, will speak "off-the-cuff" on questions submitted from the audience at the luncheon on Saturday.

Oak Ridge Series To Be Sponsored By Biology Club

The Oak Ridge Series is one of the many interesting programs planned for this year by the newly combined Biology Club and Tri-Beta, national honorary Biology fraternity.

Other programs will include discussion groups, outside speakers, films, social events and field trips.

The first field trip was October 18. Dr. David Cotter, Dr. Gideon Nelson and twenty-three students explored Kymulga Cave near Childersburg.

On November 14th at 7:00 in Bloch Auditorium, Dr. Casey from the Birmingham Baptist Hospital will speak to the group. He will discuss careers in biology with a special emphasis on Medical Technology.

The entire student body is invited to all of these discussions and activities.

New officers of the Biology Club are Johnnie Gross, president; Katherine Morton, vice-president; Barbara Newton, secretary; True Hope, treasurer, and Lynda Hudson, reporter. The sponsor is Dr. Nelson.

Dr. Cotter is sponsor of Tri-Beta. Officers are President, Jane Graham; Vice-President, Johnnie Gross; Secretary, Mayre Faucett; and Historian, Margaret Ann Morgan.

Includes New Buildings

Ten Year Development Plan Outlined By President

A ten year program of development for Alabama College has been inaugurated. This program came at the suggestion of Dr. Howard Phillips, the administrative council and the faculty.

There were two reasons in mind in beginning this program. The first of these was begun by former president Dr. F. E. Lund. Dr. Lund secured architectural and planning firms to make complete studies of the campus situation based on student body size.

These plans were referred to as Phase I, an enrollment up to 1000, and Phase II, an enrollment up to 1500.

Due to the change in becoming co-educational and also the terrific increase in enrollment, it has been advisable to re-study and evaluate the plans developed in Phase I and Phase II.

A primary objective of the program is to project an educational program for superior quality for the greatest benefit of all the students. To follow through this objective has involved serious consideration of all facets of the college life.

The second reason centered in the needs for developing definitive plans for the total program of Alabama College, particularly as to the type of institution to be developed following co-education.

Committees Organized

Planning and development committees have been organized for the general formulation of the total development program. Each of these committees is in the process of making a thorough study of

their particular assignment in evaluating the present program.

All members of the faculty have been assigned to one of these committees. Student leaders are active on the Committee on Student Affairs and Activities. Later, as the program develops, more students will be asked to serve on various committees.

Serving as chairmen of the committees are: Admissions, Mary Larkin; Curriculum Planning, Andrew Kochman, Jr.; Honors Program, S. E. Gerard Priestley; Housing, Students and Faculty, Gideon Nelson; Physical Plant and Utilities Distribution, Robert Reynolds.

Professional Advancement, Tenure, Leaves of Absence, Faculty Responsibilities, Eloise Meroney; Scheduling and Sectioning, Ethel Marshall, and Student Affairs and Activities, Sara Ruth Morgan.

The reports from these committees will be turned in for consideration on January 1, 1959. Later, a description of the proposals to the Board of Trustees will be given.

From this program, an outstanding goal is that Alabama College develop a college of Arts and Sciences that will receive national recognition.

In this growth, certainly to be included will be the increase in student body, which will continue to grow at a healthy rate. It must be recognized that already with the present enrollment, 869, the college is practically over Phase I.

Physical Changes

With this increase in student body, changes will have to be

made in the physical features of the college. Plans have already been developed for these changes.

One of the first of these new buildings will be a new college library. An excellent education in the Arts and Sciences demands a new and modern library with more book volumes.

Before intercollegiate sports can be developed, more facilities must be available as the present ones are inadequate. Therefore, a new gymnasium and physical education building will be necessary.

A new classroom building will be added to this development program.

Also to be included will be an extension of the athletic field and the erection of new bleachers.

Major Improvements

An outstanding major improvement will be the conversion of the present library into a Student Activities Building. It will house all student activities offices in addition to the Tea House and Bookstore. The library will be completely renovated to provide for these changes.

Reynolds Hall will be used for additional offices and classrooms.

Palmer Hall will be improved with particular attention paid to the floor, stage, lighting panel, and upholstery.

Extensive repairs will be made in Main dormitory. An addition to Calkins Hall and improvement on Bloch and Comer Halls is also planned.

The Board of Trustees of Alabama College approved these development plans October 16, 1958.

Flynn Speaks On Foreign Aid

Tuesday night, November 4, Mr. Murray Flynn was the guest speaker at the International Relations Club meeting.

Mr. Flynn is professor of economics at Alabama College. The subject of his speech was American Foreign Aid.

In his talk Mr. Flynn presented the arguments for and against the American foreign aid program with special emphasis upon the continuation of aid to the underdeveloped countries such as India.

Kappa Delta Pi Inducts Nine

Nine new members of Kappa Delta Pi, the Educational Honor Society, were inducted November 4 at Dr. Katherine Vickery's house.

To qualify as a member, one has to be a junior or senior, interested in education, and maintain a B average.

Those initiated were Priscilla Bryant, June Capell, Pattie Jean Crawford, Mary Gene Fleming, Bonnie Henley, Joanne Rogers, Elizabeth Lee Stain, Faye Thornhill, and Jo Veal.



Portraying the typical freshman preparing to burn his Rat Cap and Handbook is Vance Bush.

Traditions -- Created, Enforced Or Retained?

Tradition has always played an important role in the history of man. It has reached its highest forms in religion and the arts. Even in its highest forms, however, tradition has never had to depend on written document or force. It is rather, a known and accepted practice that is passed down by each generation. The test of a good tradition is its ability to survive without written authority or coercing.

With this concept of tradition in mind, it is hard to see the logic in attempting to start a tradition merely by writing it down and then forcing its acceptance, even though this forcing be but a farce. The first act of writing it down violates the essential idea of tradition. A tradition is maintained of itself, and loses its significance when regulated by law.

It is true that we need traditions, especially in colleges, which have always been among the foremost supporters of traditions. But the traditions which have withstood the test of time in colleges are those that have been passed down by practice and common acceptance rather than by writing and force.

It is difficult to say exactly how a tradition is started, but it is certainly not started by a small group of people who write out a rule and enforce it by a legal authority which is intended for other purposes. — S.L.B.

Alabama College Publications Need Support Of Students

If any organizations on campus are to function properly and with due success, much support is needed from all who are concerned. This reasoning is very applicable to the Alabama College publications.

Many students come to college with the experience of working on their high school papers. As will be expected some of these continue and work on the college publications. Still, there are many who do not work with the publications even though they have the experience.

This is becoming a problem to the editorial staffs of Alabama College publications. Especially as related to the *Alabamian*, many more staff members from the sophomore and junior classes are needed. One may seem to forget that the next editor and several staff heads will be elected from these classes.

By actual work on the paper is only one of the ways in which support can be given to it. The *Alabamian* is a student publication for the student body of Alabama College, hence, it is centered around the students. Unless the students themselves express their opinions, how will the editorial staff know whether or not they are doing what the students wish them to do?

The editors of *The Alabamian* at all times welcome constructive criticism of the paper, and any suggestions by which it may be improved to better serve the students. This criticism should, however, be given to a member of the staff, preferably the editors, instead of just being circulated on campus. In this manner, the editors, usually being the last people to hear this criticism, do not actually know how to remedy the situation. Whereas, if the person would go directly to the editors and present their specific criticism, results would be achieved much more effectively. If this continues in the present situation, more than likely it will be a hindrance more than a help, for there is no way of knowing specifically what the students want in their publications.

For better publications at Alabama College—support them!

From The President's Desk

I have been greatly honored! The members of the Freshman Class included me in their "cap burning" ceremonies. Following a march down the private drive to Flowerhill, the students stood in front of the President's home, engaged in cheers, sang songs, and gave a beautiful rendition of the Alma Mater. It was a very touching and thrilling experience for me. The spirit exhibited by the group was wholesome and heart-warming. It was an occasion that I shall always cherish, and certainly one that I shall never forget. Many thanks!



Mrs. Phillips and I attended the gala opening of the re-decorated Tutwiler Recreation Room. It was fun! The music provided by the "Squires" encouraged one to dance; the refreshments were excellent; the fellowship was outstanding. The members of the Social Committee should be commended for this and other programs. Support the Committee by your attendance. Let's have more of these wholesome activities on this campus, and let's occasionally, at least, enjoy our student activities and programs on this campus over the weekend.

The members of the Board of Trustees of Alabama College, at its recent meeting, approved a "Ten Year Program of Development" for the College. The program is being designed by the faculty, staff and students to provide a better educational and recreational program and a stronger college for the students. You will hear and read much about this program during the remainder of the year.

The *Alabamian* will provide several feature articles on the project. Moreover, the students will be furnished additional information at convocation.

Several temporary committees composed of faculty, staff and students have been appointed to serve on this important undertaking. Reports from the committees are due on January 1, 1959.



What's this you were saying about Suppressed Desires Day?

Finnish Student Relates Of His Experience In American Education

From points far and near come students to Alabama College. One of those students from afar is Paul Kiparsky from Helsinki, Finland.

Paul, classified as a special student, came to A.C. on an exchange scholarship which he received through the Institute of International Education.

Information concerning the applicants, including Paul, who were not eliminated after this preliminary screening, was then sent to United States colleges which were seeking foreign students.

Education is no stranger to Paul for his father has been a professor of Russian for a number of years. He is presently teaching at the University of Helsinki, but has recently received an appointment to the Free University of West Berlin.

Contrary to his father, Paul doesn't speak Russian, but he does speak Swedish, German, English, and his native Finnish.

Paul has an avid enthusiasm for the United States. His first glimpse of the country came when he was only eleven years old. He says that his first impression was that everybody was in a hurry and that everything was in such a hustle and bustle.

He contrasts the northern and southern United States by saying that the South is much more easy going and that there is such a friendly, helpful atmosphere here.

What does Paul think about Alabama College? "It is a very wonderful college with a fine student body and fine professors," is his reply. This opinion was formed after he had arrived here and had recovered from the shock of first discovering that he was about to enter an all girls school.

He had looked up Alabama College in some older reference books and it took a bit of research before he found that men are now admitted. He came here to learn more about America and to learn English.

From all of Paul's contacts with education you might think of him as a studious person, and that he is in moderation. He also enjoys nothing better than listening to jazz music and reading.

A past time that he has developed at Alabama College is talking to the various people around the campus.

Actually it was talking that caused Paul his greatest difficulty at Alabama College, but now that he has mastered the Alabama southern drawl, he takes great delight in just talking to everyone.

The immediate future holds more studies for Paul. At the end of his first year here he will return to Helsinki where he will enter the University of Finland to study languages.



PAUL KIPARSKY

A Critical Review—

Concert Presented By Theodore Ullmann

By Sue Bedgood

Theodore Ullmann, pianist, was presented Wednesday night, October 29, as the first event of the Concert and Lecture Series. His program included selections from Chopin, Brahms, Debussy, Bach, Beethoven, and others.

One of the selections was a concert arrangement of "Turkey in the Straw" which appeared to represent folk music, but was a poor representation and incongruous with the rest of the program.

The Brahms Sonata, however, was most appropriate and was performed most proficiently and

with much feeling and expression, thus getting it over to the audience.

Two of his four encores were "Liebestraum" and "The Blue Danube Waltz". These had the usual result of endearing a pianist to the majority of the audience Ullmann, and some other performers, expect to find in this part of the country—even though they do not always find the expected.

It is hoped that the other performers on this series are not of the same opinion concerning the audience they will find here on Alabama College campus.

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"Mademoiselle" Holds Contest

Announcing Mademoiselle's first college newspaper and magazine contest—a chance for your college publication to win a cash award for editorial excellence.

A Mademoiselle award of \$125 will be given for the best student-written article to appear in an alumni magazine or a college magazine during 1958. The money to be divided as follows: \$50 to the magazine in which the winning entry was published; \$75 to the author of the article.

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A Mademoiselle award of \$100 will be given for the best student-written piece to appear in a college newspaper during 1958. This could include editorials, columns, feature stories or even a particularly well-written "letter to the editor". The money will be divided as follows: \$50 to the newspaper in which the winning article was published; \$50 to the author.

(1) Entries (no more than three in each category) will be submitted in tear sheet form by the editor of the publication. They must be accompanied by the name and address of the editor and the name and address of the author of each article.

(2) Material must have been published during 1958 to be eligible for entry. Entries should be postmarked no later than January 1, 1959 and should be sent to "College Publication Contest, Mademoiselle, 575 Madison Avenue, New York 22, New York".

Decision of the judges is final. The editors of Mademoiselle reserve the right to publish winning entries with credit given to the college publication in which they first appeared and to buy other entries.

Marine Corps Officer To Visit Campus To Discuss Officers Training Program

November 24, 1958 will mark the campus visit of the Marines Corps Officer Procurement team headed by Captain H. L. Litzenberg III. The team will talk to college men and women about the officer training programs offered by the Marines.

Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors in good standing are eligible for the platoon leaders class. PLC prepares a man for a Marine commission by two summer training camps, each six weeks, during the regular summer vacations from school.

During the school year, there are no classes or drills to interfere with study or activities. Both camps are held at Quantico, Virginia. Candidates are paid at camp and receive first-class transportation to and from Quantico. PLC candidates are draft deferred through school. Upon graduation,



Taking advantage of the new recreation, horseback riding, is Ed Cooper.

New Recreational Area Is Opened Includes Horseback Riding

Bruises and soreness might mark the opening of a new recreational area, horseback riding, for Alabama College students. Facilities for horseback riding are located at the Wheeler Farm.

Riding fees are a dollar per hour. Students usually begin riding in the afternoon around three o'clock. On Saturday, a truck is sent to the campus at nine to pick up students wishing to ride. The college students are respond-

ing well with weekly turn-outs averaging seventy-five riders.

Braving the spills with ardent horse-lovers, Jade Higgins, Louise Golson, Diane Golightly, and Bobby Harrison are among many beginners.

Bobby Harrison has been giving riding instructions for new venturers.

The Wheeler farm is equipped with sixteen horses and twelve saddles.

Federal Service Entrance Examination Scheduled By Civil Service Commission

The Civil Service Commission today began accepting applications from college juniors, seniors, and graduate students for the first written test under this year's Federal Service Entrance Examination.

The examination is designed to help fill the Government's yearly need for more young people of college caliber who have the potential to develop into the top managers, technicians, and specialists of the future.

Positions filled through this examination are in a variety of oc-

cupational fields and are located throughout the United States.

Under the Federal Service Entrance Examination approximately 5,000 persons are appointed each year to entry-level career positions in the Federal Civil Service.

Five additional tests will be held this school year. Dates scheduled are January 10, February 14, March 14, April 11, and May 9, 1959. The written tests are given at more than 1,000 examination points throughout the United States.

For additional information potential applicants may obtain Examination Announcement 170 from their college placement office or from the U.S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

Committee For Class Rings Appointed By President

A committee on Class Ring Clarification composed of both students and faculty members was appointed by Dr. Phillips. It was done so in view of the present question posed by the Student Advisory Committee to the president.

This committee, headed by Dr. John B. Walters was composed of the following members: Dean M. L. Orr, Mrs. Mary Hood, Mr. Barclay, Neal Shirley, Peggy Thompson and Bertha Master-son.

Handling of the orders for Class Rings was the matter of utmost importance before this committee. Hence discussion developed the following facts in regard to previous practices:

1. The Treasurer of the Junior Class has undertaken the job of ordering class rings, dealing directly with the representative of the Balfour company.

2. The Treasurer of the Junior Class receives his ring without charge for handling the details of the transaction. No other profit of any nature accrues to any individual, or to the Junior Class. The only profit in the deal is made by the Balfour company.

3. There is no standard ring. There are three styles from which the student may choose, although the price of all three is approximately \$29.00, plus tax, plus C.O.D., and postage. The final charges can run up to \$33-34 to the student.

4. The Junior Class Treasurer has secured a \$5.00 deposit from the student, and the ring was then mailed to the individual, balance C.O.D., plus the charges referred to above.

5. The procedure outlined above has not always been satisfactory. There has been no deadline for orders, and delays have occurred. Individual students have not always been able to secure adjustments and repairs without considerable delay."

After much deliberation and critical analysis, the committee was generally agreed on the following matters: "The committee appeared to be in general agreement that the administration could probably negotiate a better deal in the purchase of college rings and pins than an individual could.

Some questions were raised as to

whether or not the student ordering directly from the manufacturer actually received the same quality and weight which he ordered. A manufacturing jeweler might not feel the same sense of responsibility to a college class, in which the membership changes each year, as he would to the college itself.

It was also the opinion of those present that adjustments, repairs, etc. could better be guaranteed if the manufacturer was dealing with the College Bookstore, or other agency of the college.

Mr. Barclay felt that he might make inquiries of six of the larger manufacturing jewelers, and request their best prices, a statement of the quality of their merchandise, and perhaps secure sample designs.

It was further generally agreed that a deadline for orders for rings and pins should be set so that members of the class would receive their rings without delay.

Therefore, since the primary concern of the students is to secure a good quality ring, or class pin, at the most reasonable price, the following recommendations were made.

"1. That some agreement be reached with regard to a new design for the class ring—the new design to take into consideration a ring for men students, a standard weight stone, etc.

2. That the administration of the college, through Mr. Barclay's office, investigate comparative costs of rings and pins through other manufacturing jewelers, and secure prices and designs for examination; and that the college bookstore handle orders, and deliver the rings from the manufacturer to the student, provided the price is no higher than that for which the student could buy them direct.

3. That this information be presented to the Student Senate for consideration."

Following this recommendation, information concerning the Class Rings was presented to the senate for consideration. Discussion was favorable on all points of the recommendation. However, it was pointed out that some group of students should be allowed to help establish the design of the ring since it will be standard.

Therefore, the provision "that the Executive Council be consulted and allowed to confer on the designs in setting up a standard ring and pin," was added to other two recommendations and the three were unanimously approved.

This proposal was also approved by the Executive Council.

It has now been recommended by the Senate to the President.

WUS Has Coffee

The World University Service Committee entertained the foreign students with a coffee in Reynolds on Sunday, October 26, at 3:30 p.m.

The purpose of the Coffee was to acquaint the members of WUS Committee with the foreign students and to introduce the foreign students to World University Service.

Art Department Has Gallery Talk

The present art exhibition, Images of Pre-Columbian Art, will end November 10. A gallery talk on this series was held Wednesday night, November 5.

Coming events in the Art department include paintings, drawings, and collages, by Lee Manners, beginning November 10.



The petite, vivacious beauty selected as the Campus Queen is Jane Duke, a sophomore hailing from Mobile, Alabama. One of the Alabama College representatives at the State Fair, Jane is active in all phases of college life. Her ever-ready smile will be a great aid in helping her fulfill her ambition to teach the second grade.

FUTURE FEATURES

- Nov. 9.....Chamber Music Series, Kroll String Quartet
- Nov. 11.....Convocation, Kroll String Quartet
- Nov. 18.....Birmingham Concert Series, Violin and Viola
- Nov. 19.....Birmingham Artists Series
Regimental Band, The Grenadier Guards with the Massed Pipers
and Highland Dancers of the Scots Guards.
- Nov. 22.....Harvest Festival

1959 Montage Semi-Finalists

At the annual Elite Night program the fifteen semi-finalists for the Beauty Section of the Montage were presented.

Pictures of these semi-finalists will be sent to Gary Moore, CBS television star, for the selection of the final six winners. The winners will be presented at the Junior Dance-Beauty Ball to be held in December.

Selected as the finalists were the following girls:

Pat Hodges

A senior from Ashville, Pat is an Elementary Education major. She is a member of Mu Delta Alpha, honorary Spanish fraternity. As a freshman, she was a member of the social committee and was president of Hanson dormitory during her sophomore year.

Pat was sponsored as an Elite Night beauty by Kappa Delta Pi.

Myra Eiland

Representing Sigma Alpha Sigma in Elite Night ceremonies was Myra Eiland of Childersburg. Myra is a sophomore Math major, and has been active in previous Elite Night performances.

Jennie Cotney

A senior Music Education major from Roanoke, Jennie has been active in many campus activities. She is a Chief Justice of the Student Court, a former Montage beauty, and was named one of the ten Best Dressed.

She is a member of Phi Alpha Mu, Kappa Delta Pi, Recreation Association, Chorale, BSU, and Lambda Sigma Pi, which sponsored her as an Elite Night beauty.

Barbara Maul

Representing Kappa Pi was Barbara Maul, a senior Art major, from Augusta, Georgia. She has been active in various organizations on campus, some of which are Theatre Council, Art Club, Ivor Spafford Club, Recreation Board, and Art Editor of the Montage.



Barbara was Treasurer of her sophomore class and also a member of the Gold College Night cabinet.

Rosalie Hart

Sophomore Rosalie Hart from Kingston, Jamaica, was named one of the semi-finalists beauties. She is a member of Mu Delta Alpha, and is a Spanish major. Rosalie has been featured by the Alabamian as Campus Queen.

Jackie Inman

Representing the Montage, of which she is Business Manager,

was Jackie Inman. A senior majoring in Business Administration, she is a member of the Business Administration Club, Pi Delta Epsilon, BSU, Alumni Sons and Daughters, and is Head Usher.

Jackie has also been featured as a Campus Queen by the Alabamian.

Charlotte McKinney

Sponsored by Ramsay Dormitory was Charlotte McKinney, a junior Music Education major from Birmingham. Charlotte is also a member of the College Chorale.

Lynn Camp

A freshman from Mobile, Lynn Camp is majoring in Home Economics. As an Elite Night beauty semi-finalist, Lynn was sponsored by the Retail Club.

Joy Andrews

Representing the Home Economics Club, of which she is a member, was Joy Andrews. Joy, a sophomore Home Economics major, is from Geneva. She is secretary of the Ivor Spafford Club, and is a member of BSU.

Shannon Throckmorton

A freshman Music major, Shannon hails from Tusculum. She is an active member of campus organizations, one of which is the College Chorale. Shannon has also been featured as Campus Queen by the Alabamian. She was sponsored by Main dormitory.

Patty Talley

From Demopolis and a senior History major, Patty represented Tutwiler dormitory. She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Lambda Sigma Pi, and Kappa Delta Pi.

Patty has been president of her junior and senior classes, a representative to the Student Senate, a member of the Purple College Night cabinet, and featured in Elite Night as a Montage Beauty. Patty has also been a former Campus Queen.

Nan Jackson

From Roanoke representing the International Relations Club was Nan Jackson. She is a sophomore Music major. Nan was president of the freshman class last year, and was also presented in the Elite Night ceremonies.

Judith Gunnin

Sponsored by Napier Hall as an Elite Night Beauty was Judith Gunnin. She is a freshman Art major from Bessemer.

Shirley Stabler

A Math major from Greenville, Shirley represented the Dietetics Club. She was freshman class president, SGA secretary and vice-president, and a sophomore and junior class favorite.

Shirley is a member of Lambda Sigma Pi and president of Tutwiler Hall. She was recently named Miss Alabama College.

Hilda Ocasio

Representing Hanson dormitory in the Elite Night program was Hilda Ocasio from Cateno, Puerto Rico. Hilda is a Sociology major.



A highlight of the Drives Week program was the annual parade through downtown Montevallo Thursday morning.

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Students, Faculty Possess Varied Opinions On Success Of "Suppressed Desires Day"

It looks as if one of the most lucrative and successful Drives Weeks in the history of the college was launched Wednesday with an eventful and well-participated-in Suppressed Desires Day.

This is the one day in the school year when all of us give vent to those desires that have been plaguing us. For a certain price, we are permitted to succumb to our most secret and pressing longings (there are limits, of course!)

One's desire, no matter how intense, to call it quits and take a four day catnap is not usually approved if on this, or any other day. At any rate, no amount of money is sufficiently large to include the granting of this wish in the regular curriculum of this college. (Several people have already attempted it in vain.)

The opinions and attitudes of most students toward Suppressed Desires Day are quite entertaining. A number of students were asked the question, What do you think of Suppressed Desires Day? Here are their answers:

Pat Summerlin: "I don't think about it."

Jimmy Cartee: "I wish it were every day."

Bob Stoddard: "I think it wasn't publicized enough—besides, I didn't have enough money."

Jack Doherty: "They should either let them go all the way . . . or . . . not at all."

Joyce Willis: "... a lot of fun—really good—and all the students seem to enjoy it. I only wish it didn't come at the nine weeks. I get to do all the things I'd like to do. Student participation is excellent—faculty could be better, though. I wish the student body

would participate in other school affairs as well as they do in Suppressed Desires Day."

Becky Boone: "I think it's just Fabulous!"

Charlie Webster: "Fine thing when handled properly. Not enough suppressed desires—boys in particular."

George Spuhler: "It seems odd, but it is done (wearing of bermudas) in Switzerland every day."

Celeste Parker: "Making the upper classmen wear those rat hats is a cute idea."

Joyce Chitwood: "Yeah! Uh

huh."

Apparently, the faculty is not quite so enthusiastic as students are, but it must be remembered that even the librarians are subjected to an unearthly, ear-piercing shriek on this day and they bear it with fortitude.

The important thing is not the unorthodox attire or the smoggy atmosphere of the dining room, but the fact that the money accumulated during Drives Week goes for a worthy cause, and Suppressed Desires Day is probably the most profitable event of this week.

Highlight Of Week Is Auction Of "Mighty" Seniors As "Cheap" Labor



Ready for their services to be auctioned are seniors "Dozier" Turner, La Rue Anderson, and Barbara Evans. Judy Cain (extreme right) was auctioneer.

Royalty Reign Over Festival

Jo Veal, vice-president of the Recreation Board, has announced plans for this years' Harvest Festival that is to be in Bibb Graves Hall November 22.

Entertainment will consist of dancing by Miss Carlson's square dancing class and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cordiel. Mr. Cordiel, from the square dance clubs in Birmingham, will call for the square dancing.

The highlight of the festival will be the crowning of the Harvest King and Queen. Each girl's dormitory will nominate one girl and Napier will nominate four boys to represent them. The student body will select the King and Queen by popular vote and they will be presented at the festival.

Admission prices will be \$.25 per couple or \$.15 stag.

Heading the committees will be decorations, Pat Kelly; lighting, Judy Cain, Jij Wilson, and Peggy Ray; refreshments, Amalia Epps, entertainment, Jo Veal, and publicity, Gene Brymer, and Frances Yarborough.

Rebel Rousers Cop First Place In Touch Football

The Rebel Rousers from 2nd East sneaked past a strong 3rd west team 6-0 to win the Men's Touch Football championship.

The two teams had fired through the regular season with both sporting a 5-1 record.

2nd East displayed a fine offense scoring twice in the first half only to have penalties nullify both touch downs, but fought back to score the winning tally early in the second half.

Two minutes deep in the second half 2nd East moved the ball to the 30 yard line with two consecutive passes to Wood. With a 3rd down situation little Roy Mims gathered in a Ralph Thrasher pass in the end zone for the winning touchdown.



Roy McCaig

SPORTS



Carolyn Moody



Gene Brymer moves in too late to block Fred Wood's shot as 2nd East downs 1st East 59-46.

Second East Setting Pace In Intramural Basketball Play

With brilliant jump shooting from Allen Holmes and his brother Gary, Second East (Faulk) has easily taken command of the league leadership with a 2-0 record. The Pace Setters mauled Third West (Pruitt) 59-19, to gain their second straight victory.

They have previously beaten their "brother team" Second East (Garner) 56-46. Allen Holmes, Ellis Faulk, and Ray Jones all hit in the double figures with 26, 12, 13 respectively.

In other games played First East defeated First West 55-38. Consistent jump shooting by Roy McCaig and Jerry Harrison along with outside shooting by Don Ma-

hone made "hash" of the First West defense. McCaig finished with 17 points, Harrison and Mahone 14 each.

Second East (Garner) evened their record at 1-1, by downing First East 56-49. Bobbk Garner sparked a last half attack by scoring 18 points. Fred Wood had 24 for the winners. Gene Brymer was high scorer for the losers with 16 points.

First West won its first game of the season by sneaking past Third East in a double overtime game 38-36. Don Miller led the winners with 14 points while Coleman scored 16 for Third East.

Girls' Basketball Now Underway

By Jo Veal

"Stop her, "We don't want another," "C'mom team", "Slow it down", "Watch her".

These cries of good-natured fun may be heard coming from the women's round-robin basketball intramurals, held at 4:30 on Monday and Wednesday afternoons and 7:00 on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

Enthusiasm is at its highest peak, with each dorm determined to win. Competition between volleyball tournament winners, Hanson, and last year's basketball champs, Ramsay is going to be keen and hot.

These two teams have both won against Tutwiler and Main, who brought forth sharp competition. Ramsay lost to Hanson, but this team is bestowed with what it takes to win.

The final play off will find two Ramsay and two Hanson teams and one team from Tutwiler and Main.

Time is short, but there is still time left to get in the five practices necessary to play in the final playoffs.

All students interested in playing basketball should contact Laura Bailey, basketball counselor.

Weather Cancels Golf Tourney

It looks as if Ole Man Weather seems to be holding up the sports activities on campus this season.

Due to the rain last Saturday the men and women's singles golf tournament was postponed until November 8. So far only the first round has been played on the new green.

Rainy weather is also holding up the women's singles tennis tournament which has been in process since last October. In the quarter finals of the advanced so far are: Pat Kelley, Dawn Floyd and Margery Stevens.

Also in process now is the practicing for the women's intramurals in basketball. Enthusiasm is running high throughout the dorms as they have been ransacked by the physical education majors trying to get participants for the intramurals.

Practice is being held on Monday and Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 and Tuesday and Thursday night at 7:00.

BASKETBALL STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
2nd East (Faulk)	2	0
3rd West (Godfrey)	1	0
2nd West	1	0
1st East	1	1
2nd East (Garner)	1	1
1st West	1	1
3rd West (Pruitt)	0	2
3rd East	0	2



Talking over their trip to the Synchronized Swimming Convention with Miss Catherine Carlson, faculty advisor, are Mary Ellen Bruhn, Margie Stevens, Jeanette Edwards, Jerry Ann Melton, and Emily Greene.

Five Students Represent School At Synchronized Swimmers' Conclave

Representing Alabama College at the 3rd annual convention of the Association of Synchronized Swimming for College Women will be Emily Greene, Jeanette Edwards, Jerry Ann Melton, Margie Stevenson, and Mary Ellen Bruhn.

They will be accompanied by Miss Catherine Carlson, faculty

advisor to the Catalina Club.

The convention will be held November 8-10 at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio.

Featured on the program will be a swimming champion and Olympic performer. A banquet on Saturday night will close the convention.

SPORTS FACT

In men's basketball when fouled, a player receives one free shot and after the opposing team has committed six fouls he receives a one-one shot (one-one shot means if the player hits the first one he get another shot).

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Band Announced By Music School

The Alabama College School of Music announces the formation of a college band under the direction of Dr. Arthur Fraser.

Seen in Thursday's parade, the band held its first meeting only two weeks ago with thirty-four present.

Plans are being made to purchase a few needed instruments and both concert and marching music.

Congreve Comedy Boasts Large Cast

Rehearsal! Rehearsal! Rehearsal!

This is the keyword of the twelve cast members of the next College Theatre production "The Way of the World," to be given December 11 and 12 in Palmer Auditorium at 8:15 p.m.

This restoration comedy of manners by William Congreve depicts the conventions and follies of the court people of the 17th century. It is a gentle satire of their way of living. The significance of the play is not the plot but the brilliance of the wit of the dialogue.

Student actors portraying the different characters of the play are Tom Skinner as Fainall; Harris Holley as Mirabell; Ed Cooper, Witwoud, Don Pruett, Petulant; Charles Thomas, Sir Willfull Witwoud; Leroy Swanner, Waitwell; Irvin Busbee as Footman.

Oswald Benson as Messenger; Diana Golightly, Lady Wish Forx; Madge Barnard as Mrs. Marwood; Jo Veal as Mrs. Millament; Mary Clyde Moore as Mrs. Fainall; Suzanne Funchess, Foible; Carolyn Clark, Mincing; and Priscilla Bryant, Betty.

Gail Nudelman will serve as stage manager for the play.



Making their last-minute preparations before leaving for San Antonio, Texas, are Thelma Myers, Barbara White, and Jade Higgins.

"Good-bye A. C., We Are Going To Texas," Say Three Seniors

While many students are counting the days until Thanksgiving holidays, three Alabama College seniors are looking forward to November 15. These seniors are Thelma Myers, Jade Higgins, and Barbara White.

As Retail Home Economics maj-

ors, they will receive their retail selling experience in San Antonio, Texas, at Joske's Department Store. At Joske's they will work until December 24.

Also in their plans will be some sight seeing with perhaps a quick trip into Mexico.

Notes From The Music Department

Mr. Bruce Tolbert, tenor, was presented in recital on November 3, in Calkins Hall.

His program included numbers from the oratorios Samson by Handel and The Creation by Haydn; selections by Schumann, Brahms,

Faure, Purcell, Harrits, and Stevens; and two traditional Hebrew Chants.

He was accompanied at the piano by Janera Carter, junior music major.

Mr. Tolbert is Associate Professor of Music and teacher of voice.

Alabama DAR Society Sponsors Contest Among College Students

The Alabama Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is sponsoring this year, through the Radio and Television Committee, a contest between students in accredited colleges and universities. Scripts must deal with some phase of "The Constitution of the United States of America", and must uphold the Constitution.

Entries may be made by any under graduate student of an accredited college or university in the state, except those students who are professionally employed in radio or television script.

Competent judges will select the winning scripts on the basis of succinctness, originality, patriotic content, understanding of the Constitution, and popular appeal. The contest closes January 15, 1959.

Arrangements are being made with the local radio and television stations for presentation of the scripts, with tape recordings to be made for the National Radio and Television Library for chapter or school rental. In addition, \$10.00

will be awarded to the student with the winning radio script, and \$15.00 awarded to the author of the winning television script.

National winners will be sent to Washington as guests of the National Society, and will appear at Continental Congress with presentation of scripts over national network.

Phi Alpha Mu Elects Five New Members

Phi Alpha Mu, local honorary music fraternity, announces the selection of the following new members.

They are Margie Stallworth, Dennis Sheppard, Miriam Rhodes, Mary Katherine Hicks, and Sue Bedgood.

Members are selected on basis of excellence in performance, character, and scholarship.

This year Phi Alpha Mu will present two recitals, the first of which will be December 9.

College Choir Sponsors "Jazz Big-Time" With Famous Artists

"That rich-blooded, controversial child of mingled origins, Jazz, has stepped out of the club intine—onto the concert stage." Such a concert will be presented at Alabama College by "Jazz '59", a group of world-famous artists organized into a touring troupe which has gained great popularity. "Jazz '59" will be presented in Palmer on Friday night, November 14, at 8:30.

This unusual concert program is sponsored by the College Choir as a project to solicit funds in order to buy new robes for the Choir.

The stars featured are: The Mar-

ian McPartland Trio, Barbara Lea, Zoot Sims, Sam Most, Teddy Charles, Mose Allison and Gil Melle Quartet who features Joe Cinderella, a guitarist.

Many of the artists have appeared with such well-known bands as Tommy Dorsey, Shep Fields, Benny Goodman, and Stan Kantor. Several have also made albums for national recording firms.

Tickets for the concert can be purchased from any member of the College Choir. The admission price is one dollar for all students and administration. Guest tickets will be two dollars.

Do You Think for Yourself? (TO KNOW MORE ABOUT YOURSELF—ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS!*)



Do you try to keep from getting angry because you feel that emotion can interfere with your judgment?

YES ☐ NO ☐



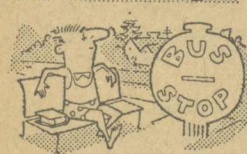
Do you like to "show your stuff" when you know you are really good at something?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Can you honestly say you like to be entirely independent of others in most things you do?

YES ☐ NO ☐



In the morning, do you carefully choose a tie, matching jacket, etc., instead of grabbing the first thing you see in the closet?

YES ☐ NO ☐



When you are criticized do you stop to analyze the criticism before retorting?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Do you sometimes go to a public event, such as a football game, even if you have to go alone?

YES ☐ NO ☐



In a discussion, do you like to go on record early with a definite viewpoint of your own?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Are you able to stay cheerful even when you are alone for a considerable time?

YES ☐ NO ☐



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Europe Tour

Faculty Passes Summer Seminar

The European Seminar was discussed thoroughly and was passed by unanimous vote by the faculty this past week.

The exact cost and date has not yet been confirmed, but it will begin approximately in mid-June and will last five weeks plus 18 days set aside for ocean travel. The estimated cost of this Seminar is \$565.

This estimate includes ocean transportation, room and board, trips and tuition. If the students wish to travel independently, they will be given permission to stay an additional three weeks provided they pay more.

The residence of students will be in Holland and possibly Oxford in England and Paris. Qualifications that will be considered are academic record, intellectual curiosity, the ability to assimilate and evaluate, and personal adaptability.

Six hours credit will be given to those participating. The trip will consist mainly of visiting museums and attending lectures. It will deal primarily with arts and social sciences.

Composing the committee working on the Seminar are Dr. Katherine Vickery, Dr. Lorraine Pierson, Dr. Gerard Priestley, Mr. Rodney Baine, and Mr. John Fesperman.

Those students interested will hand in their applications before Christmas holidays. The deadline for the reservation fee is January 10. Application information can be requested from any member of the committee.

All of the applicants will be screened and some pre-Seminar lectures and reading will be required of the participants.

The Seminar will be staffed by one member of the Alabama College faculty and several European lecturers. The director of the Seminar will be announced in a few weeks.

All of the European travel arrangements are being made by the Netherlands Bureau of Foreign Student Relations which is a non-profit organization.

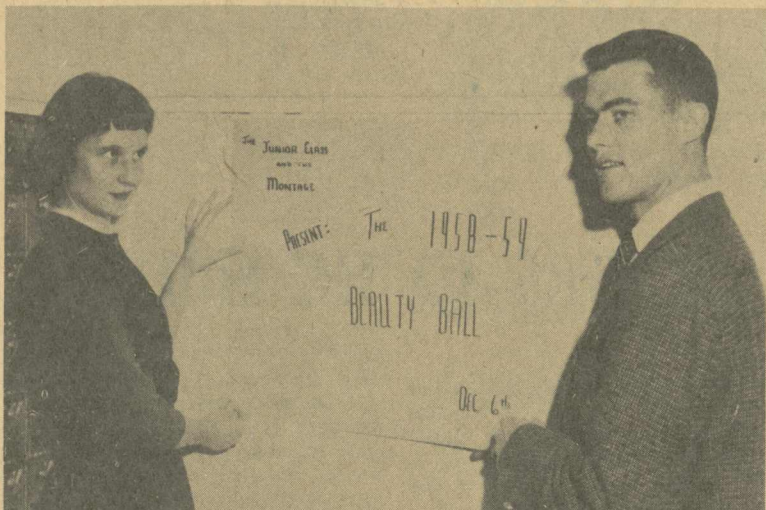
Printed information will soon be available for those interested. If it doesn't become overcrowded, the Seminar will be open to other colleges.

Students Change Jurisdiction Rule

"... A student is considered to be under the jurisdiction of the College while he is enrolled during any session of the college. With respect to the enforcement of all residential and social standards, the jurisdiction of the College is relieved only after a student reaches home and until he leaves home to return to the College or while he is in the company of one or both of his parents or his guardian."

Taken from the Student Government Handbook, the above Student Government regulation states the jurisdiction of the College as it now stands. A need to change this jurisdiction was presented to the Executive Council last week. The recommendation and revisions made by the Executive Council have also been passed by the Student Senate.

The revision states that "All students are considered to be under the jurisdiction of the College when representing the College or when on any official function or at



Chris Angele and Bobby Harrison put up advance publicity for Junior Dance.

Freshman Class Elections Get Underway This Week

Election plans for the Freshman class officers have gotten underway this week.

At freshman orientation Thursday, Shirley Stabler, chairman of the Freshman Advisory Committee, announced the rules for the election and gave out the qualifying slips. To offer himself as a candidate for office, a student must hand in his qualifying slip to the Advisory committee. The date for the slips to be handed in will be announced.

The election will be held the 11th week of the first semester with qualified freshmen men and women competing for the offices of president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer.

One senator will be elected for every 200 students in the class.

One justice to the woman's court will also be elected by the freshmen women students.

A political rally be held next week in order that the candidates for the various offices may better acquaint themselves with the freshman class.

A candidate for any office must have maintained an academic C average for the first semester. A student may not hold more than one Student Government office. He must have been in residence the first semester and must meet the citizenship qualifications required.

Ray Jones and Amalia Epps, advisory committee members, are assisting Shirley Stabler with the election arrangements.

ACP Convention Delegates Return Present New Ideas For Publications

"Just rolled in from the 'Windy City,'" is the tune of five Alabama College girls are singing.

Returning from the Associated Collegiate Press convention in Chicago, the students enthusiastically described the conference as "stimulating and full of ideas."

Jane Graham, Montage editor, Jackie Inman, Montage business manager, Sylvia Pound, Alabamian make-up editor, Stephanie Funke, Alabamian circulation manager, and Laura Belle La Borde, both Alabamian and Montage representative, were among 1013 official delegates.

Mrs. Sara Ruth Morgan, professor of business administration and chairman of the Publications Board, chaperoned the group.

Represented were 38 states, in addition to Washington, D. C., and Canada. The convention met at the Conrad Hilton Hotel.

"Almost anyone is a reporter," any time when on Alabama College property, or when within the city limits of Montevallo.

"However, the jurisdiction of the college for a woman student is relieved only after she has duly signed out under the regulations specified by her parents or guardian on her Blanket Permission slip which shall be re-submitted each year that she is a student. At any time when she is signed out, she is fully under the jurisdiction of her parents and the College assumes no responsibility for her conduct."

This revision has now been presented to the Student Government Advisory Committee for approval.

stated Karin Walstt, city editor of the Chicago Sun-Times, at one of the sessions.

"The true test of any reporter is obtaining information and departing it to his readers."

Panel discussions led by delegates proved a testing ground for yearbook and newspaper publications.

Jackie Inman represented Alabama College as moderator of one of these groups.

The Alabamian was criticized on make-up and typography by Harold Wilson, journalism professor at the University of Minnesota.

Freedom from censorship highlighted student discussions. Why must students refrain from saying what they want because of fear of being called on the carpet by the administration? This was the big question arising at each of the sessions.

Featured speakers were Charles T. Haun, picture editor of the Detroit Free Press; Clark Mollenhoff, 1958 Pulitzer award winner for labor racket reporting; and Al Capp, cartoonist, creator of Lil Abner.

Capp, an instantaneous favorite with the delegates, revealed his "pitch" in Lil Abner—a return to Stevens Street where people are just Americans without prejudice.

Climaxing his speech with this revelation, he received an extensive ovation from the group.

Brought back with new ideas for both publications were drooping eyelids, blistered feet, and exciting escapades—all adding up to a "fabulous ACP convention".

Juniors Plan Dance-- Beauties To Be Named

The welcome carpet will be rolled out to Theresa Rinaldi, second alternate to "Miss Alabama" December 6. Her appearance will highlight the combined Beauty Ball and Junior Dance.

The dance will begin at 8:30 p.m. with music by Buddy Harris' band from Birmingham. The theme will remain a secret until the dance. Admission prices will be \$3.00 for couples and \$2.50 for stags.

Under the co-sponsorship of the Montage and the Junior Class, the dance will climax "Miss Alabama Day".

Tentative plans for honoring Theresa Rinaldi include introduction to President Howard Phillips and the administration, a beauty parade at 10:30 with Theresa and the fifteen semi-finalists.

A luncheon will be held for the honoree, administration, committee chairmen, Christine Angele, junior class president, and Jane Graham, editor of the Montage.

For the faculty and students, an informal coffee will be held in Reynolds at 4:00 in the afternoon.

Highlighting the dance will be the presentation of the top six beauties to appear in the Montage.

These six will be selected by Garry Moore, NBC television star, from the pictures submitted by the fifteen semi-finalists. They were selected from thirty-seven entries at the Elite Night ceremonies.

Entertainment at the dance will include Gene Brymer, singer; a trio composed of Judy Harmon, Margaret Tait, and Hope Neely.

Theresa Rinaldi will also take part on the program with one of the selections from the "Miss Alabama" contest.

Committee chairmen directing all the plans for the dance are: Arthur Garrett and Frances Trest, band; Bobby Harrison and Jo Anne Mynard, publicity; Peggy Thompson, food; Jo Veal, decorations; Lois Anne Ray, entertainment; Clyde Hoffman, restoration; and Bettie LeGrand, lighting.

Ivol Spafford Club Attends Meeting

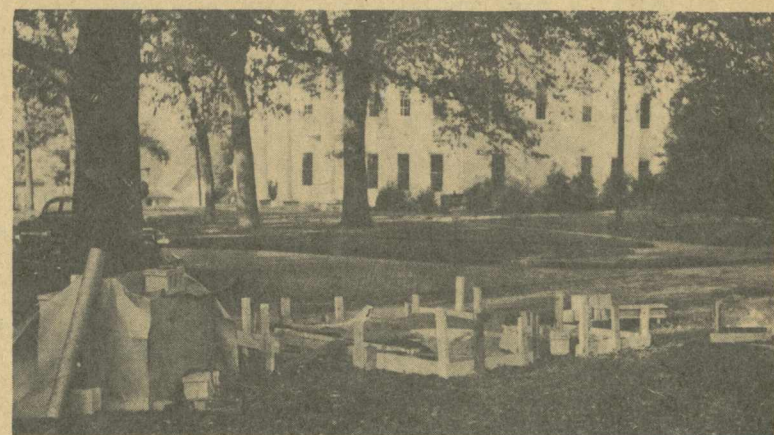
Home Economics Lights The Way To Better Living was the theme of the 43rd annual meeting of the Alabama Home Economics Association. The convention met at the Thomas Jefferson Hotel Nov. 14-15.

Members of the Ivol Spafford Club attending were Joy Andrews, Betty Bass, Carolyn Lewis, Annette Edgeworth, Jane Canady, Carolyn Stroup, Eleanor Henderson, Emily Bräley, Rosalyn Robinette, Linda Johnson, Rosalind White, Peggy Thompson, Karen Mullins, Barbara Lett, and Willene Johnson.

Johnnie Beauchamp, Joyce Haggard, Sara Wright, Nancy DeVore, Rochelle Orr, Judy Pruitt, Velma Wakefield, Earnestine Pruett, Amalia Epps, Bertha Masterson, Ruth Williams, Elaine Anderson, Ira Sue Littleton, Eleanor Lester, Mary Katharine Wilson, Marlene McDonough and Marianne Noland.

From the nine college clubs represented, Ivol Spafford Home Economics Club had the largest number of representatives.

On Friday was the election of a vice president for the Southern Region. Peggy Thompson, the candidate sponsored by the Ivol Spafford Club, was elected to this office.



SCENE OF CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE

"To Be Or Not To Be?"

"Where do you think the night-watchmen's booth should be placed?" This was the question that was asked various students on campus. The students, before making their statements, were also asked "Would this be the best place to observe the Tea House, the front gate and the general route of all cars?"

"I suggest that the booth be placed by the side of the front gate so as not to be quite so outstanding."—Barbara Walker.

"I think the booth ought to be placed over between the library and Palmer on the plot of land near the road. Then leave the gate open by Palmer and close the other gate. Let one nightwatchman stay

there and another stay over in the quarters by the Tea House."—Jerry Barton.

"Believing that the proposed site of the building will certainly be detrimental to establishing that most favorable impression of the quadrangle especially, that all first-time visitors have always received, I would suggest as a possible site, the location directly across from the present locale—by the large tree on the corner of Calkins."—Ann Riley.

"I agree with Barbara Walker as to the location of the new night-watchmen's booth. There have been cases of vandalism taking place in front of Napier and a booth in this general vicinity would eliminate this."—Tony Taunton.

SGA Appeals To Faculty- What Age Is Maturity?

The "Age of Maturity" is hard to define in general terms, and certainly it cannot be defined by giving an age. However, it stands to reason that college students have reached this age or are fast approaching it. Here many things are involved, the most outstanding being the making of decisions. No longer will someone else make all the decisions, but it is left up to the individual.

It is believed that the average college student is old enough to know what is right and what is wrong. Even so, they are more or less "set" on what they are going to do. With the present jurisdiction rules, a student is not even treated as having this ability. The College assumes all responsibility for students, except when they are in the company of their parents or guardian. Cannot the students begin using some of their abilities by having this present ruling revised?

Of course, the writer is aware of the fact that some jurisdiction by the College is necessary, but must it go this far? Mose parents generally assumed that by their signing the Blanket Permission, the students would be "on their own", consequently the College would not take this responsibility.

Also, it is difficult to enforce the present jurisdiction ruling. The College is assuming too much responsibility, or that which most parents thought was theirs by signing the Blanket Permission.

It is known that students represent the College, whether they are at home or elsewhere, but can the College set down social and other standards for the students to follow when they are off campus, for example, when visiting a college friend? It seems rather absurd that they would attempt to take this degree of jurisdiction.

A part of education comes from the daily life, and if students are to be educated in this respect, why should the College assume so much responsibility? How will students learn if they have someone over them all the time, watching every step that is made?

Therefore, is it not better that the students of Alabama College be given more freedom when they are not actually representing the College, instead of having the campus rules imposed on them wherever they may be?

—K. M.

Hungarian Pleas Haunt Free Nations-What Price Freedom?

"The shadows grow darker from hour to hour. Listen to our cry. Start moving. Extend to us brotherly hands. People of the world, save us!"

Two years ago, these desperate words made their way to the free nations of the world from revolution-torn Hungary. For twelve agonizing days the determined people of Budapest fought Russian tanks, armored cars, and machine guns with only homemade gasoline bombs, inadequate firearms, and courage. They had one aim—to be free. On November 4, the Russians sent into this rebellious country four thousand modern tanks, jet planes, rockets, and thousands of foot-soldiers equipped with sub-machine guns. All this to suppress a people whom the Russians had believed to be docile communists.

All this was viewed in silence by the countries of the free world. They had their reasons for not coming to Hungary's aid; perhaps some of them as good as those of the European nations in the thirteenth century when Islam threatened to destroy the city of Vienna or those of the priest and Levite who passed by a certain man who had been robbed and beaten by thieves. However, in these cases, someone still had ideals; Jan Sobieski, a Polish king, with his small army of volunteer soldiers came to Vienna's aid and the city was saved; and of course, everyone recognizes the latter as the story of the Good Samaritan.

But there was no one to answer Hungary's plea, and all the rationalization in the world will never erase the memory of the deaf ears turned to that last cry, "People of the world, save us!"

—S. L. B.

From The President's Desk

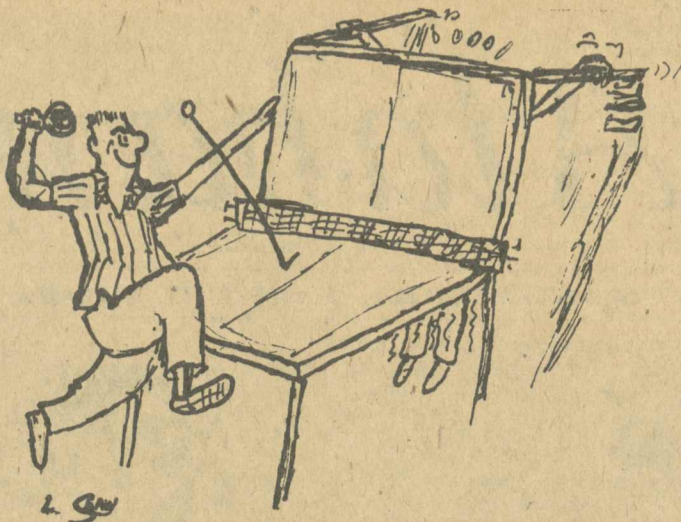
Since my arrival on the campus of Alabama College, I have made a sincere effort to keep the students, faculty and staff adequately and appropriately informed about activities, procedures and developments. This is a difficult assignment!

Several weeks ago, the *Alabamian* discussed in an article the opening dates of the College, required days of attendance, holidays, etc. Despite this informative article, the entire matter of holidays seems to be misunderstood.

A critical study has been made of the OFFICIAL CALENDARS of the four-year colleges in the state, especially the publicly supported institutions. Comparison of the data reveals that Alabama College has more holidays than any other institution in the state! The number ranges from a high of thirty to a low of eighteen, including the holidays that fall within the weekends.

Last year Alabama College announced in the Catalog that holidays would begin at the close of the day, 4:30 p.m. on the day prior to the holiday period. Of the seven white publicly supported colleges in the state, five follow this plan. The change was made in order to provide a full class day, eliminating the maladjustments in class meetings brought about by half day attendance. The change was not made to deprive you of a half of a holiday!

Obviously the change will bring about a few travel hardships. It is our sincere belief that these can be adjusted through the efforts of parents and deans. Certainly we live in an age of easy travel and excellent travel facilities. Through the efforts of all of us, I believe that you can arrange to be home by Thanksgiving.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I have heard, from a reliable source, that the Student Senate has passed an amendment allowing only the freshman girls with a "B" average to participate in the College Night activities.

I have talked to quite a few freshman girls who are not expecting an over all "B" average. Although not a majority, I don't think it is fair to deprive these girls of the right to be a part of the fun and excitement that comes with College Night preparations.

It is my opinion that in order to be a success, College Night

needs to have the support of every student.

I can't see how this art of punishment would encourage the students to make better grades in the future. Surely no one can study very well when their thoughts are on a campus activity as outstanding as this one.

I believe that if this rule could be met with strong opposition, the Senate might possibly see fit to amend it.

In the meantime, it might be worthwhile to remind the Senate that the freshmen are college students and not children.

—LAMAR SHAW

Dear Editor,

In the last issue an editorial was printed on "Traditions—Created, Enforced or Retained?"

The writer of this editorial has pointed out that a tradition is not created "by a small group of people who write out a rule and enforce it by legal authority which is intended for other purposes."

However, I feel that this "so-called tradition" was not created as a rule to be enforced but as an attempt to bring a closer relationship and unity among the classes on this campus.

This writer has stated that it is difficult to see how a tradition is created; in fact, she offers no solution, only criticism.

I would like to ask this writer how traditions are started, if not by a small group, and then later accepted and passed down by each generation.

Even if the effect of "this small group" is bad, in the opinion of this writer, I for one wholeheartedly support it, as it has given this college something it lacked in the past—togetherness!

—CAROLYN MOODY

Dear Editor,

Since the school calendar has been changed, students have expressed views in regard to holidays, especially the time of departure one day prior to holidays.

To begin with, getting out to 4:30 instead of at lunch can cause those who live farther away to get home late at night or not even get there until the next morning. In the case of Mobile students, they'll get home some time during the night; that is, if they're lucky to get a chartered bus. Some may not get there in time for Thanksgiving dinner.

Of course, there are those who have cars or their parents can come after them; but what about those who have to depend on bus service? Transportation service here in Montevallo is terribly uncertain.

Even though there are those who can get rides, some may be unable to because of class conflicts. There are some who don't even have evening classes, and there are those who get out at 2:30. Those having classes until 4:30 just might miss their rides.

Another thing we can't understand is why A.C. has to go by the rules set up by other colleges. We really don't think A.C. students are getting too many holidays or too much time off from classes; that is, in comparison with other colleges.

TOWER TALKS

Thanksgiving Holidays! At long last they are almost here—and soon you will be heading for home.

This ole fellow has been doing a little reading lately—just glanced

through a magazine, motive, by name, and saw a little dictionary you might like. Upperclass men, remember I gave you some Charles-tonese terms last year. Well, here are some more from South Carolina's Charleston-

ians.

"Air"—what you hear with, i.e., "Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your airs."

"Bucks"—something the library is full of.

"Caller"—part of a shirt that goes around the neck.

"Dollar"—less sharp, i.e., "My knife was dollar than his own."

"Flow"—what you stand on in a house.

"Go It"—a smelly animal which eats tin cans.

"Herring"—the auditory function, i.e., "Pappa's hard of her-ring."

"Mine Eyes"—salad dressing.

"Minuet"—you and I have dined.

"Tin Sin Stow"—the foive and doyme.

"Vertigo"—What happened to him?

These are just a few and later I'll pass on a few more.

It's getting "politicking" time again for the Freshman class and their class elections. I'll be listening in and looking around and let you know how things come out.

the past object of much criticism, and the problem at hand is to keep from adding insult to injury, as will be the case if this eyesore is allowed to be finished and sit like a brick outhouse on the front campus.

Granted, the watchmen may need a station better located than the cubicle under West Main, but this could be built near the main entrance gate.

Rumor has it that the Senior class is responsible for this wart, but they have not been made aware of this.

Immediate action on the part of students in the form of delegations, petitions, and letters to the president could remove the foundation which is the base of the pustule and in time the grass would again grow green on A.C. campus big front lawn.

MARGIE LANE

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Harvest Royalty Crowned Tonight

Presentation of the 1958-59 Harvest King and Queen will be tonight at the annual Harvest Festival held at Bibb Graves Hall.

Candidates for the title of Queen were nominated by each of the women's dormitories. Likewise, Napier Hall nominated four men for the Harvest King.

The King and Queen were selected by popular vote of the student body earlier this week.

Representing Main dormitory is Renate Naumann. She is a freshman from Huntsville and is a pre-engineering major.

Bobbie Hopkins, a sophomore from Suttle, was nominated by Hanson dormitory. She is a Social Science major and has been in Elite Night programs for the past two years. Bobbie is also secretary of the Sophomore Class this year.

The representative of Ramsay dormitory will be Linda Sparkman, a junior Physical Education major from Decatur. She was a Gold College Night cheerleader last year.

Her other activities include Publicity chairman for the Physical Education Club, counselor for the Recreation Association, and Student Christian Association social chairman.

Jean Findlay, senior Social Work major from Birmingham, will represent Tutwiler Hall. She is a member of the Sociology Club, Catalina Club, and Ushers Club. Jean was also named to the Senior Elite in the field of Social Science and History.

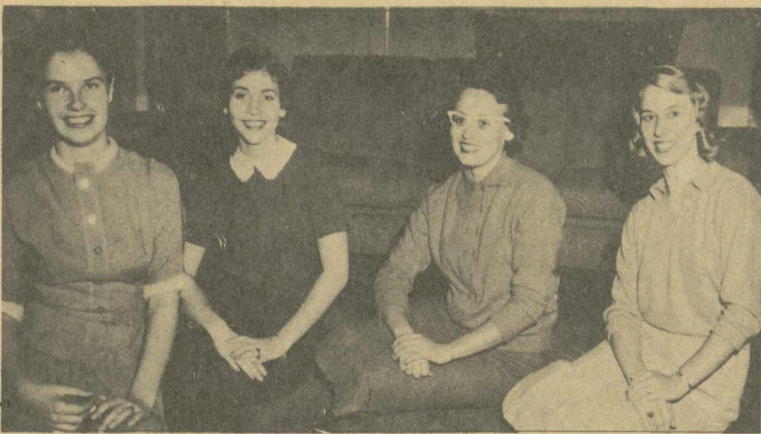
Jack Doherty, Sidney Godfrey, Ray Lenderman, and Tony Taunton are the candidates for Harvest King from Napier Hall.

Jack Doherty, a sophomore from Buffalo, New York, is an Economics major.

A sophomore from Calera, Sidney Godfrey is a Business Administration major.

Ray Lenderman from Childersburg, a second semester freshman, is a Business Administration major.

Also a sophomore Business Administration major is Tony Taunton from Sylacauga.



HARVEST FESTIVAL CANDIDATES, sponsored by dorms are from left to right, Renate Naumann, Bobbie Hopkins, Linda Sparkman and Jean Findlay.

Ambassador To Speak To IRC Conference Set For Dec. 4-6

Scheduled for December 4-6, the conference promises to be one of the largest held in the South by an International Relations Club. The theme of the meeting will center around the present China Question, and will be broken down into three main topics: The military, the legislative and the executive stands on the Question.

Representing Alabama College at this meeting will be Terry Langford.

His Excellency, The Ambassador of the Republic of Nationalist China, George K. C. Yeh, will address the convention on Saturday while Lieutenant General Clark Ruffner will speak on Friday.

The Regional Planning Adviser for the Bureau of Far Eastern Affairs of the Department of State, will be the principal speaker at the banquet on Thursday night, December 4.

An informal dance is slated for Friday evening with the VMI Commanders providing the music. The conference will close with the election of Regional officers on Saturday.

Plans for the December International Relations Club meeting include informative programs.

On December 16, Congressman Armistead F. Selden, sixth congressional district representative, will speak to the club. His topic will be about his trip to Europe where he attended the NATO Conference.

A Christmas party will be on December 2 for the IRC members. The special guests at this party will be the foreign students on campus.

Concert To Feature Birmingham Symphony

On December 3, the Birmingham Symphony, under the direction of Arthur Bennett Lipkin, will appear on campus as the second event on Concert and Lecture Series.

The first number on the program will be "Canzon Quart Toni", a composition for three Brass Choirs, in which the Alabama College Brass Choir will assist.

Also appearing with the Symphony will be soprano - soloist Phyllis Curtan.

CHURCH CHIMES

The Baptist Student Union seeks to meet the needs of students through church organizations—Bible studies, Mission projects, social activities, recreation, and special events, as B.S.U. Conventions and Retreats.

Future events include: November 22—Breakfast and Open House with Miss Norma Kennard, guest speaker; December 6-9—Love, Courtship and Marriage Discussion, Fellowship, and Bible Discussion, Mrs. J. O. Williams, guest speaker.

Newman Club

The Newman Club, an organization for Catholic students, is concerned with the spiritual development and interests of its members.

At Alabama College the meetings are held at St. Thomas Catholic Church and are sponsored by Mr. Roy Montgomery.

The main project this year is panel discussion on the precepts and doctrines of the Catholic Church.

Church of Christ

The Church of Christ has a class for college students Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. On Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. there's a Bible Study.

The class is being conducted by Mr. Kenneth Reid, teacher of Bible at the University and recently returned from the Holy Lands. He is teaching Bible geography in relation to history through lectures, maps, and slides flavored with first-hand information.

Canterbury Club

Canterbury Association is one of a group of organizations within the framework of the Protestant Episcopal Church. This organization is composed of students who attend some university or college, Episcopalians and non-Episcopalians.

They carry on the work to enlighten and to broaden the individual's knowledge of Christian work and principles in the world today.

Wesley Fellowship

Wesley Fellowship is the Methodist student organization. In addition to the Sunday services, Wesley meets at 6:30 on Wednesday nights. This month, a Bible study on the book of Mark is being conducted by the pastor-director, Rev. James Chesnutt.

Other activities of Wesley include the Wesley choir, directed by Dennis Sheppard, which sings at the evening services twice each month.

Westminster

Westminster Fellowship is the Presbyterian Youth group. The student Sunday School class is beginning a study on the book of Colossians. The topic for the coming Sunday night program will be on the translation of the Bible.

Other activities are the regular Sunday School class at 9:45, church services at 11:00. The Westminster Fellowship program begins each Sunday night at 7:30.

Sigma Alpha Sigma Adds New Members

Seven new members of Sigma Alpha Sigma, honorary business fraternity, will be initiated November 24, according to Laura Norris, president.

These will include Etta Lou Shipp, Wynette Turner, Ann Patterson, LaVondra Harding, Joanne Mink, Charles Adams, and Betty Jo Long.

To be tapped for this fraternity a student must have an overall average of 1.5 and a 2.0 average in business. They must also have completed 15 hours of business courses.

Thespian Groups Present Plays Nov. 22 Original Plans For The Play Altered

This weekend Alabama College is host to a large group of high school students, members of the Alabama Thespian Groups, a dramatics honorary organization.

Their program of activities for Saturday, November 22, includes: morning workshop sessions on play selection, publicity, and acting; in the afternoon, two one-act plays in Reynolds auditorium; an initiation banquet; and a repeat performance of Hedda Gabler at 8:30 p.m.

Original plans to present Love for Love were altered because of the shortage of male actors. The play is written by the same author, Congreve, and deals with the same period in English life.

A cast change has been made. Rosalie Hart has replaced Priscilla Bryant who withdrew to represent Alabama College at a convention. Judy Lance has been named assistant to Gail Nudelman as stage manager.

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Jazz '59

STUDENT REVIEW

By Hal Parsons

I have been asked to write a review of the Jazz '59 concert which was presented at Palmer Hall on November 14. I should like to state that the views put down here are entirely my own, and are those of a layman and jazz fan, rather than being technical.

To begin, let me take those performers whom I noticed enough to speak of. Miss McPartland's trio (Joe Cusatis, drums; Bill Pritto, bass) seemed to work better together than any of the other combinations which were displayed, and I felt that there were good performances by all three players, both in solo and in support.

Zoot Sims is supposed to be a polished performer, as jazz musicians go, but I found myself wondering when his set would end. I had this same attitude when Gil Melle was playing.

I don't doubt that Mr. Melle is qualified, but I couldn't hear him well enough to judge. Mose Allison's composition, with Free, and the Cinderella brothers, was a pretty fair performance, but I think more could have been done with the arrangement.

Sam Most personified the Man with the new idea, using a flute to bring out his theme, while Free, the Cinderellas, and Teddy Charles presented just the right amount of balance.

The little man I mentioned, Teddy Charles, is usually good as a performer, and as a composer and arranger.

Last, I'd like to say that I enjoyed the show put on by Joe Cusatis. His one-hand roll is something I haven't seen many drummers do as smoothly as he did.

Mr. Free, on the other hand, seemed inclined to play too loudly at times when he should have been in accompaniment, resulting in an overload of the balance.

However, I feel satisfied that I got my money's worth. At other times, I have paid more to see worse shows. Overall, Jazz '59 lived up to my expectations.

Senate Passes Amendment, Discusses New Proposals

Thursday night, November 13, the Alabama College Student Senate had its regular meeting. The first item on the agenda was a new jurisdiction rule or amendment written by the advisory committee.

The rule, in brief, states that after students sign out to go anywhere off campus (keeping in mind the blanket permission) they will be under their parents' or guardian's jurisdiction. This would not include field trips or trips representing the college in any phase.

This would amend the present rule in the handbook that states the students are under the jurisdiction of the school until they are in the presence of their parents or guardians. The rule or amendment was passed by a majority in the Senate and was sent to be approved by a committee composed of faculty members.

The second most important item discussed was the appropriate place to place the nightwatchmen's booth. As it stands now the booth will be placed on the corner across from Main and Calkins as that is the best visibility point. A committee of Senate members was formed to further study the item.

Other items on the agenda included these proposals: Coat racks in the Tea House, Comer third floor, and Bloch second floor; that students be allowed to wear bermudas in the library; washing machines to be installed in the basements of the dormitories (the cost of each load would be 25c); that



CAMPUS QUEEN: Almost any turkey would be happy to be caught by a pretty girl like Betty Frost, freshman Art major from Mobile. Betty, who likes to sew and makes most of her own clothes, loves Alabama College and plans to attend all four years here.

Third Annual Presentation Of The Messiah At Baptist Church Dec. 14

Mr. Bruce Tolbert of the Alabama College department of music has announced plans for the third annual presentation of THE MESSIAH.

There will be two performances on Sunday, December 14, the first one at 3:00 p.m. and the other at 7:30 p.m. at the Montevallo Baptist Church.

Mr. Tolbert, in addition to directing THE MESSIAH, will also

be tenor soloist. Organist will be Miss Helen Newton, Alumni Secretary at Alabama College and organist at the Montevallo Baptist Church.

Janera Carter, piano major from Cullman, will be pianist. Featured as bass soloist will be Mr. Richard Rivers, head of the department of music at Huntingdon College, Montgomery, Alabama. Mrs. Edward Glover of Montevallo will be soprano soloist.

THE MESSIAH Choir will be made up of students of Alabama College, church choirs, and singers from surrounding communities.

another contest be announced to select a mascot for the school (a committee was set up to study this more thoroughly).

These preceding items were merely discussed and set up as proposals.

It was proposed to change the Senate meetings to a more appropriate place to accommodate visitors and also to enhance a more atmospheric Senate meeting. This would also include strict enforcement of parliamentary procedure.

College Night exemptions from closed study hours for freshmen women will include all students maintaining a "B" average.

The participation of men in College night was discussed and a majority agreed that the men as well as the women should follow the procedure already in practice—that anyone wishing to participate could do so.

More appropriations have been given to the Alabamian and the Tower to facilitate publishing.

It was announced that a men's honor fraternity is going to be included in the honor fraternities already at A.C.—ODK Omicron Delta Kappa. A men's and women's leadership fraternity will also be included—Phi Beta Kappa.

Various other committees were set up to discuss certain sections of the student handbook and the meeting was adjourned.

The president of the Senate, Bertha Masterson, would like to further the invitation to all students interested to attend the Senate meetings which take place semi-monthly on Thursday at 9:30.

The Judicial Department

Your Student Government

By Hope Neely

The Executive and Legislative Branches of the Student Government Association having already been presented in this series of articles, the third branch, the Judicial Department, will be dealt with in this issue of the Alabamian.

The Judicial Department consists of the house councils and the student courts; however, the purpose of this article is to inform the student body of court activities and procedures. The student courts have original jurisdiction in all cases for which the house councils are not responsible.

Drives Week Ends Funds Under Par

Funds for the Drives Week program have been turned in according to Barbara Walker, treasurer. A total of \$380.38 was collected from all of the various activities. The goal had been previously set at \$800.00.

Amounts received from each activities are as follows:

Car Wash, \$23.50; Suppressed Desires, \$88.02; Senior Auction, \$55.00; Skit Night, \$90.30.

Ugly Man, \$16.33; Dance and Ballgame, \$35.65; Cake Walk, \$29.00; Donations, \$33.20; Miscellaneous, \$9.38.

At the dance, Clyde Hoffman was presented as the winner of the "Ugliest Man" contest. Winning first place in the Skit Night production was Ramsay dormitory.

By an all-campus vote of the student body, the percentage of the funds to be given to each charity was determined.

Cancer, \$104.50; Muscular Dystrophy, \$69.86; Cerebral Palsy, \$52.25; March of Dimes, \$46.45.

Heart Fund, \$46.45; Christmas Seals, \$26.63; WUS, \$19.02; Red Cross, \$15.22.

Free Theatre Plays Planned

The plays of Free Theatre which are directed and produced by the students have been planned for this year.

During the first semester, the plays will be presented in Reynolds Auditorium on the nights of December 15 and 18, and January 9. There will be two plays presented each night.

Several dates are still open for the second semester and any student interested in directing a play for Free Theatre is invited to apply for a date for this production from Dr. Andrew Kochman.

There are three court bodies:

The Women's Court, consisting of a President and Vice-President and seven justices, has the responsibility of trying all cases involving serious infractions of women's social regulations.

Two justices are elected from each class with the exception of the Freshman Class from which only one justice is elected. Six members must agree on any decision made by this court.

Men's Court

The Men's Court consists of a President and six justices elected from the men students at large. The duty of the men's court shall be to try all cases involving serious infractions of the men's social regulations. In this court, at least five members must agree on any decision made.

The Joint Court is composed of a Chief Justice and an Associate Justice elected by the student body and three representatives each, from both the Women's Court and Men's Court.

All cases concerned with lying, cheating and stealing are tried by the Joint Court. This court shall also try cases in which a boy and girl are involved in the violation of the girl's social regulations which ordinarily would require court action.

Duties of Joint Court

The Joint Court passes upon the constitutionality of any law passed by the Student Senate and, in certain cases, upon any act of the Executive Council.

It also passes upon the constitutionality of any act of the Senate or the Executive Council upon receiving a petition to do so signed by not less than seventy-five students and presented to the Chief Justice.

It is the responsibility of this court to set up rules of procedure to be followed in presenting cases.

Any defendant before the courts shall be allowed a student representative of his own choice, and witnesses to testify in his behalf. In some cases a trial may be open if the defendant petitions the court in writing and the court sees fit for an open trial. The right of appeal shall never be denied.

(This information can be found on pages 34-39 of the Student Government Handbook.)

AWAY WE GO

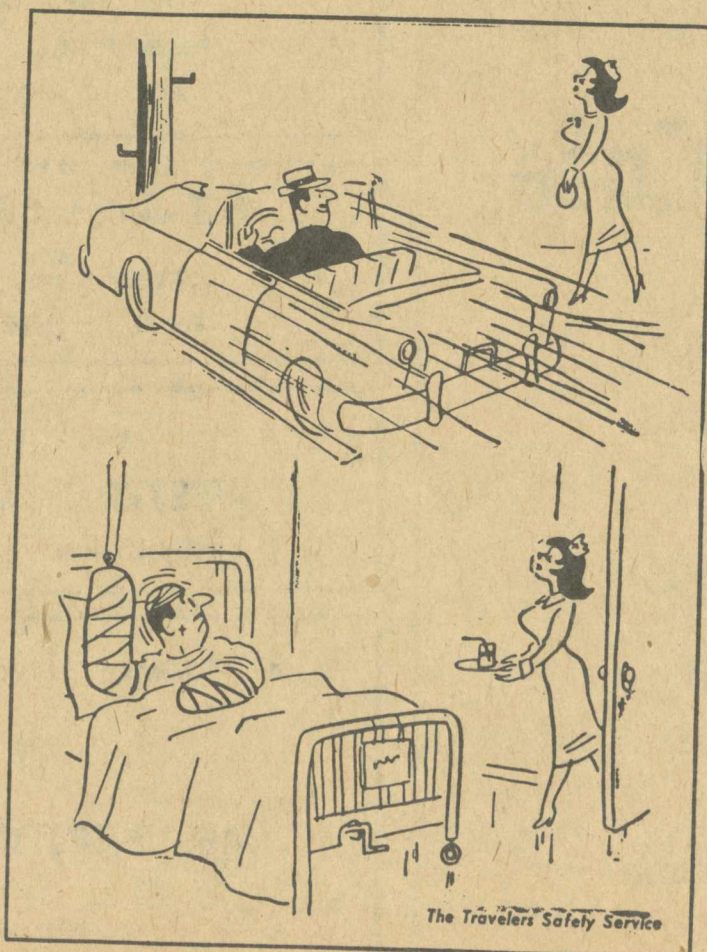
With singing tires, and screaming me,
We o'er the highways went.
T'was 70, 80, 85,
With him my nerves were spent.
I ask so often on our trips
"Why must we go so fast?
Why can't we take it easy, dear.
Each tourist must we pass?
Yes, yes my love, we must push on
So we can longer stay
You would not this begrudge me
Since we live so far away."
"Oh, no, my dear, I understand.
But I know that Mom and Dad
Had rather have a son like you,
Than to only wish they had."

—MARIE POOLE

(Taken from Birmingham News)

The Road Toll

by Jerry Marcus



122,610 paid the toll when their cars left the road.



Three players clash during practice while jumping high for a rebound as Tut's Barbara Maul and referee Geneva Myrick look on.



Roy McCaig

SPORTS



Carolyn Moody

Golf

The singles golf tournament was completed Saturday, Nov. 8, on the new green.

After a week's delay due to rain, the final 18 holes were played off in both the men's and women's division. Gaining top honors in the men's ranks was Ralph Thrasher with a low total of 175 for the 36 hole event. Placing second was Gene Goree with a total of 199. Thus these juniors racked up top honors and runner-up places for Ramsay dorm.

For the women's division Pattie Crawford, a Junior, took top place with a final score of 231. Running a close second was Flora Clark of Ramsay with a final sum of 241.

Plans for the spring tournament will be announced at a later date.

Tourney Winners

Congratulations to the winners of all the tournaments held on campus this past month.

Hanson dormitory is heaping her honors on Pat Kelley, tennis champion of the advanced divi-

sion. Pat gained 25 points for her dorm by winning the tourney. Bringing in 15 points for her dorm, Ramsey, was Margery Stevens, who also reached the finals.

Still left in the intermediate division are Sue Ellen Riddle of Main and Carolyn Moody of Hanson, who will play their match off this week end. Hanson seems to be going all the way this year as they already have their flag flying high for winning the volley ball tourney.

Basketball enthusiasm is still running high on campus during the clashes between the various teams for practice. Hanson I, sparked by Pat Kelley, Laura Bailey, and Jo DeVaughn, looks as if it will go a long way. Ramsay I is also supporting a good team this year.

P. E. Banquet

The Physical Education Club held its monthly meeting in Reynolds Dining Hall at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday night.

The purpose of the meeting was to hold a discussion planned to help the Physical Education majors to better understand their major field and to better plan their future.

Various faculty members of the department gave talks on aiding the students in their future opportunities and work.

Following the discussion was a social hour during which refreshments were served.

Sports Quiz

1. What team for the second week in a row has dominated Southeastern Conference football statistics?
2. Who is the No. 1 guard in college football?
3. How many games has Auburn won straight without a defeat?
4. What team plays LSU today, hoping to upset the Tigers perfect record for the season.

(Answers on Page 6)

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3rd West Still Winning In Men's Intramurals

3rd West (Godfrey) slammed past 1st East 71-49 to remain undefeated. 3rd West in trouble in the first half pulled from a early first half four point lead to a 22 point spread as the final whistle blew.

Sid Godfrey led the winners with 29 points. He was backed by Bobby Hayes with 13, Jack Harris with 11 and Ralph Thrasher with 10. Roy McCaig and Jerry Harrison were the big guns for 1st East, McCaig racking 24 and Harrison getting 15.

In other games 2nd East (Faught) mauled 1st West 68-22. Little Gerry Holmes led the winners scoring 22 points while, big brother, Allen hooped 20 and Ellis Faught sacked 18 points.

2nd West downed 3rd West (Pruitt) 60-33. The 2nd West evened their record at 2-2. High scorers for 2nd West were Jerry Barton with 20 points, Albert Van Cleave 15, Van Matre 11 and Steve Thorton 10 points. Roy Peoples was high for the losers with 14 points.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

3rd West (Godfrey) 60, 2nd West 34
1st East 42, 3rd East 38
2nd East (Faught) 67, 2nd West 56
3rd West (Godfrey) 93, 1st West 60
2nd East (Wood) 57, 3rd West (Pruitt) 27
1st East 41, 3rd West (Pruitt) 23
2nd East (Faught) 68, 1st West 22
3rd West (Godfrey) 71, 1st East 49
2nd West 60, 3rd West (Pruitt) 33

BASKETBALL STANDING

TEAM	Won	Lost
2nd East (Faught)	4	0
3rd West (Godfrey)	4	0
1st East	3	2
2nd East (Wood)	2	1
2nd West	2	2
1st West	1	2
3rd East	0	4
3rd West (Pruitt)	0	4

Sports Tidbits

Last year the "Name the Team" contest was sponsored by the Alabamian to name the Alabama College team. This contest was not carried to completion.

Plans are now being made to sponsor this contest in the very near future. Be sure to watch coming issues for the rules and regulations as well as for the winner and the name of the Alabama College baseball team.

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Great rivalry is now developing among the teams in intramural basketball. Tournaments will soon be beginning, so come on down to the Field House and support your team.

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The Catalina Club is making great plans for their annual water show to be presented later this school year. These plans included varied numbers to be performed by members of the club.

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Even though cold weather is here, there are many sports that can still be enjoyed. See the sports counselors about the opportunities for tennis, badminton, and other sports.

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Don't forget to come to the Harvest Festival tonight at the Field House. It will be "loads of fun". To be presented will be the Harvest King and Queen. Also the square dancing classes will entertain.

ANSWERS TO SPORTS QUIZ

- 1 Auburn.
- 2 Zeke Smith
- 3 23 games
- 4 Tulane



Rough and rugged play develops as Gene Brymer (No. 13) fouls Fred Wood in intramural men's play.

Basketball Games Week Of Nov. 10

In basketball play this week, Third West (Godfrey) had little trouble in winning their second and third straight games without a lose. Third West, leading by only one point at half time, pulled away fast in the second half to down Second West 60-34, early this week.

They outran First West 93-60 to gain their third win with four players hitting in two column figures. Sidney Godfrey led with 26 points, Bobby Hayes had 23, Ralph Thrasher 22 and Jack Harris 18 for the winners.

In the "thriller diller" of the week, Third East saw their hopes of a upset collapse as First East froze out a 42-38 victory. Leading by two points with minuter left in the game, crucial fields goals by Thomas Quan and Bobby Workman paved the way for the First East victory. Dick Talty had 15 points for the winners. Benny Childress and Truit Moore scored 17 and 10 points respectively for Third East.

First East also captured their third win this week by routing Third West (Pruitt) 41-23. Jerry Harrison and Roy McCaig led First East with 17 and 14 points respectively. Don Armstrong scored 13 for the losers.

Second East (Faught) extended its winning streak to three games downing Second West 67-56. Allen Holmes was high scorer for Second East with 23 points followed by Ellis. Faught and Gerry Holmes with 19 and 16 respectively. Jerry Barton led the Second East team scoring 17 points.

Second East (Wood) triumphed Third West (Phuitt) 57-27. Fred Wood finished with 15 points along with 12 from Donnie Jacks and Joe Neal Roper. Jerry Fulford scored 10 points for Third West.

Schedule for Men's Basketball

NOVEMBER 24

2nd East (Wood)	vs. 1st West	7:00
1st East	vs. 2nd West	8:00

NOVEMBER 25

3rd West (Godfrey)	vs. 2nd East (Faught)	4:30
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DECEMBER 1

3rd East	vs. 2nd East (Wood)	7:00
1st East	vs. 2nd East (Faught)	8:00

DECEMBER 2

1st West	vs. 2nd West	
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DECEMBER 3

3rd West (Godfrey)	vs. 2nd East (Wood)	7:00
1st West	vs. 3rd East	8:00

DECEMBER 4

1st East	vs. 1st West	4:30
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YES ☐ NO ☐



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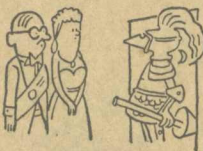
If someone wanted to hypnotize you, would you refuse to let him try?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Can you honestly say you enjoy a game or sport as much whether you win or lose?

YES ☐ NO ☐



Would you feel that you should leave a formal affair if you found you were wearing clothes that were different from everybody else's?

YES ☐ NO ☐



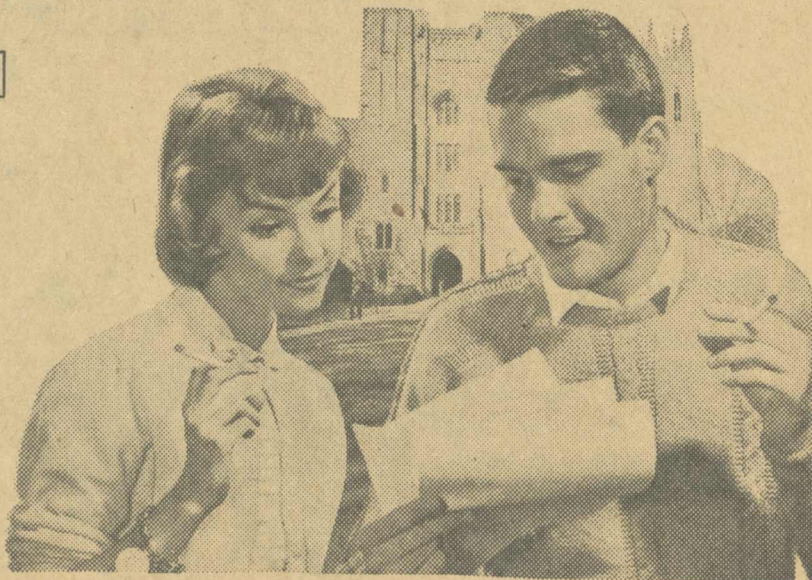
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MERRY
CHRISTMAS!

Holiday Spirit Invades Campus

Swann, Walker -- '59 College Night Leaders

Employees Feted At Yuletide Party

A Christmas party honoring Alabama College's colored employees and their families will be held by the Student Christian Association next week in Bibb Graves Hall.

The hall will be decorated in a Christmas theme featuring a massive tree ornamented with Yuletide trimmings. Christmas cookies and cold drinks will be served as refreshments.

Linda Sparkman, social chairman of S.C.A., is in charge of arrangements for the event.

As a member of the Student Christian Association, each A.C. student will contribute to the festivities by giving a small gift to be presented to the children.

The gifts will be collected at the Christmas parties held by each class. They will be distributed to the children at the party by a S.C.A. member dressed as Santa Claus.

Ramona Hall, Noon Day Chairman, will open the party with a devotional. Entertainment will be given by various employees.

This event is a yearly project of S.C.A. Ted Fuller, president of the association, had this to say regarding the event, "This is our way of thanking them for their service throughout the year".

Biology Students Decorate Bloch

The colorful Christmas decorations in the basement of Bloch are the work of the Biology Club and Tri-Beta.

A Christmas party was held on Wednesday, Dec. 10 at the home of Dr. David Cotter, Tri-Beta sponsor.

All Biology students interested in Medical Technology toured the Birmingham Baptist Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 11.

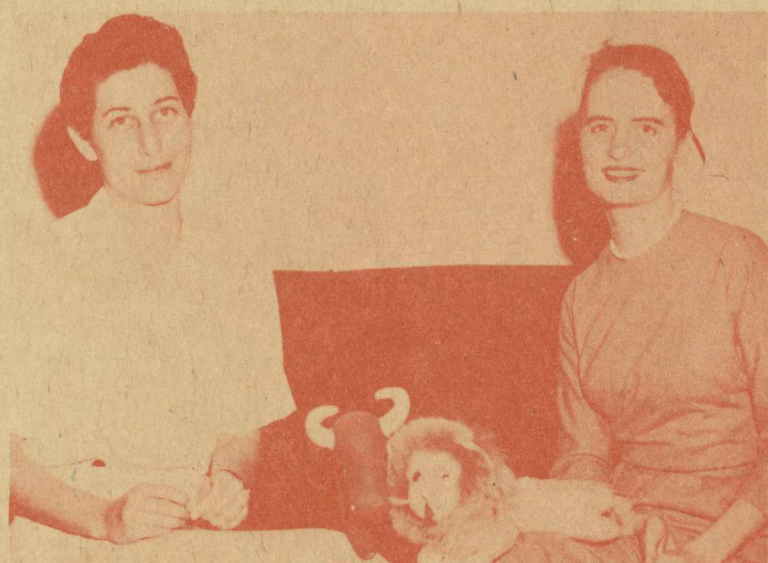
Mistletoe, Holly, Caroling-- Part Of Christmas Events For Alabama College Students

"Deck the halls with boughs of holly"—for Christmas time is here again. Alabama College co-eds get into the spirit of Christmas with the planning of dormitory parties, class parties, and club activities.

Along with party preparations, decorations appear throughout the campus gleaming with silver tinsel and bright Christmas balls. In many dormitory rooms gay decorations show clever ideas displayed by students and in the lobbies the annual Christmas trees greet students and visitors.

Caroling, pajama parties, other festivities are planned by dormitory residents. Many clubs and departments plan teas and open-house parties.

Local churches, too, add religious activities by planning special affairs. One of the biggest events



COLLEGE NIGHT LEADERS: Sue Swann and Barbara Walker, selected this week as leaders, are ready to lead their sides to victory.

Home Economics Department Entertains With Reception

A formal reception was held for Home Economics majors on Dec. 2, at 8:00 p.m., in Bloch living room.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Mrs. Howard Phillips, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Napier, Dr. Ackerly, Mrs. Ruby Phillips, Mrs. Folsom, Mrs. Hollingsworth and new staff members. Christmas decorations were used.

The Ivol Spafford Club had its Christmas program on Tuesday night. At this December meeting florists of Montevallo demonstrated how to make and arrange various Christmas decorations.

Home Economics majors now doing their practice teaching in the

Montevallo High School are Elsie Snellgrove, Billie Moore, Carolyn Kornegay, and Robbie Frye Cook.

Majors now living in the Home Management House are Mrs. Marvulin Stephens, Mrs. Mary Gene Fleming, Mrs. Patricia Shewbart and Mary Katharine Wilson. Their work program for the nine weeks includes renovating the living room—making new drapes, re-upholstering the chairs, and purchasing a new davenport.



CAMPUS QUEEN: "Won't you help me trim the Christmas tree?" asks pretty Mary Ellen Grant, a junior speech major from Georgiana, Alabama—and what male wouldn't want to help this vivacious Campus Queen? Mary Ellen plans to teach after graduation, and is interested in radio and TV work.

Cotney And Findlay Are Elected Assistants

Dance Drama Is Scheduled For January

On January 7, 1959, at Alabama College the Earham College Artist Series will present the DANCE DRAMA COMPANY featuring Emily Frankel and Mark Ryder.

The DANCE DRAMA COMPANY began with the New York debut in 1950 of the Duo. The Duo's first programs had a special warmth and quality which made their are more understandable than that of the usual dance company.

Their style, a combination of ballet, modern dance, jazz, ethnic, and comedy, created a new form with drama added. Their program is varied in costume, content, and production.

They have toured transcontinentally performing in theatres, universities, museum series, and Civic and Community Concerts. The tours include visiting 447 cities in America in addition to Canada and Israel.

The DANCE DRAMA COMPANY was singled out for the International Award for the Finest Dance Program of Television in 1956.

Leaders for the 1959 College Night festivities are Sue Swann, Purples, and Barbara Walker, Golds. Campus selections were held this week.

College Night, Alabama College's homecoming, is a three-day program scheduled for Feb. 19, 20, and 21. Art, Drama, and Music for the productions are created and produced by students.

Sue Swann, a former member of the Purple Cabinet, will be assisted by Jennie Cotney. Jennie also served on the 1958 cabinet. Assisting Barbara Walker, Gold leader, will be Jean Findlay.

Candidates for the leaders were Sue Swann, Jennie Cotney, Purple; Bertha Masterson, Barbara Maul, and Barbara Walker, Gold.

Gold nominees for assistant leader were Bertha Masterson, Barbara Maul, Jean Findlay, Gene McCutchen, Bob Murray, and Lorna West. In the race for Purple assistant leader were Jennie Cotney, Darrol Pharris, Ann Riley, and Jane Venable.

The students were nominated by a committee appointed by president of the Student Government Association, Neal Shirley. Serving with Neal were Patty Talley, Shirley Stabler, Frances Benton, Jo Anne Mynard, Mary Thornton and Shirley Baker.

Dr. Eric Rodgers Talks To Students

On December 9, the convocation program was presented by the Chemistry, Biology, Math and Physics Departments.

The principal speaker was Dr. Eric Rodgers, chairman of the Physics Department at the University of Alabama. Dr. Rodgers is a man renowned in the field of Math and Physics.

He received his B.S. and M.A. from the University of Alabama and his Ph.D. in Physics at the University of Chicago. Dr. Rodgers is a member of numerous scientific and honorary societies.

He impressed upon the audience the fact that science is becoming increasingly important in the world today. Attention must be given to it in order to have a informed world.

Dr Rodgers stressed the fact that a scientific study can be considered cultural. Every well-rounded person should have at least a basic knowledge of Math, Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

The fact that Mathematics involves mental discipline which can be carried over to other fields was one of Dr. Rodgers main points.

A person who is accustomed to thinking through a problem or theory as is necessary in math should not experience much trouble in the pursuit of other studies.

Dr. Rodgers livened his speech and heightened the audience's interest with examples of applied Physics in the space age.

After Christmas Holidays What Is Your Destiny-- Student Or Statistic?

What is the most valuable possession you have?

No, it's not gold, or silver, precious gems or the like. It's not even your house or your automobile. It is your life.

How carefully do you safeguard it from harm?

You may see your family doctor twice a year for a check-up, and you may regularly have a chest X-ray, but what about on the highways? Do you really consider that you have your life at stake when you are behind the wheel of a powerful auto?

Here in the United States riding in a car is as usual as putting on shoes before going out in the morning. For this we are thankful because we can get almost anywhere we wish to go with comparative ease. On the other hand, we can curse the invention of cars, for traffic accidents claim more and more lives each day.

Drive carefully. How often we hear that simple phrase, but how often do we heed it? A good time to begin paying attention to it is now.

The Christmas holiday is almost upon us. The Thanksgiving holiday is just behind us. Fortunately, everyone from Alabama College returned from that vacation. Will that be true after the Christmas holidays? Will your roommate be here to greet you? What about the duo across the hall or next door to you? Will they all escape the fate of death on the highway? More pertinent, will you be here?

Have you ever looked at the tangled mass of broken bones and torn flesh and had to tell someone that that lifeless body had been a friend of yours? Have you had to pack, for the last time, the belongings of someone that you had lived with for months?

Picture yourself telling the parents of one of your friends that their son or daughter would be home no more; that he is dead. Picture this and then try to imagine someone telling your parents this same story. Just as was the sight of twisted steel and mangled bodies, this is not a pretty picture, but it may become true-to-life unless each one of us remembers the value of our life and drives with utmost care every time we get in a car.

In recent years A. C. students have had the experiences mentioned above. Some girls did not make it back from the week-end trip home. Will you?

Christmas is the busiest time of the year, and this is especially true on the highways. People are rushing day and night to be with friends and loved ones. Most of them will make it to their destination, but who knows who will not? It may be you.

Drive home and then back again slowly and carefully, as though you were safeguarding your most prized possession. You are—your life.

Remember, your friends and family would rather have you see them than for them to have to see you—in a casket.

—M. B.

From The President's Desk

Since my arrival on the campus of Alabama College, I have made a sincere effort to keep the students, faculty and staff adequately and appropriately informed about activities, procedures and developments. This is a difficult assignment! Not only are our methods of communication inadequate, which provides enough of a barrier, but there is also a gross misunderstanding existent on our campus regarding the extent to which matters can be divulged or made public.



Sometimes in our effort to protect individuals we are often misunderstood. We believe that it is necessary to protect people from unwarranted embarrassment and injury. Apparently, as indicated in the *Alabamian* recently, some people had rather spread a rumor or distort on the basis of the thin excuse of "lack of info", when they haven't made any effort to obtain the facts. For them the wild is more exciting and glamorous. Nevertheless we shall continue to improve our methods and channels of information.

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To provide a wholesome atmosphere for students, and to create the best understanding between students, faculty and staff, it is important for all of us to understand today how decisions are reached at Alabama College under the present administration. There are no snap judgments! Decisions, often even minor ones, are based on discussions with many competent members of the faculty, staff and student body. A serious attempt is always made to examine all facets of the problem, or suggestion, or proposal or idea. Practically all college matters are referred to the Administrative council for discussion and for the joint decision of this group. *Paramount in any decision are the best interests of the total college!* This must always be true!

Actually the President is often criticized for too many referrals, required discussions, and "slow decisions". He continues to believe, however, that the procedure described in the above paragraph is the best. And yet, we do not profess to be infallible! We know that we shall make mistakes. Moreover, we recognize that if progress should be made, there must be some changes — even some encroachment upon what some may deem "sacred".

It is often discouraging to have some of our "experts" receive our decisions as if they were pulled from the stratosphere on the impulse of the moment.



Recreation Association

Your Student Government

The Recreation Association, one of the important organizations on this campus, was originally initiated as a result of the need for better health, fellowship, and recreation for all students at Alabama College. Its responsibilities vary and include some aspect of nearly every activity on campus.

One of its duties is recommending improvements in the lake area. Recently its members suggested the building of a new dock which, incidentally, is definitely needed.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor,

In the last issue a letter to the editor was printed concerning my editorial, "Traditions — Created, Enforced or Retained".

The writer of this letter feels that this "so-called tradition was not created as a rule to be enforced, but as an attempt to bring a closer relationship and unity among the classes on this campus".

If the writer of the letter will look on pages 96-97 of the handbook under Freshman Orientation, she will see that the freshmen "traditions" were to have lasted the entire first semester.

Since the traditions had to be dropped before the end of the first semester because of the lack of co-operation on the part of students, I would like to ask the writer if they did succeed in their purpose of "bringing a closer relationship and unity among the classes on this campus".

As to the point that I offered no solution, only criticism, the writer surely knows that the purpose of the editorial is to express the opinion of the editor, or in the case of an editorial staff, the one writing a particular editorial.

Concerning the origin of a tradition, I must say that my editorial was an opinion and not the result of several years research into the matter.

However, a tradition is essentially a birth, a growth, and necessarily entails acceptance. If one can see any truth in the above statement, then how can one see the validity in the meeting of a group of people to make up some "traditions"?

The writing down matter was the objection I had and not the idea of tradition.

I think traditions are necessary, even the wearing of rat hats, if you like, but I would like to close with a question. Did the wearing of rats and the carrying of handbooks, which were the most noticeable of the "new traditions" really create a spirit of "togetherness"?

—SARA LOU BERRY

TOWER TALKS

Now as the year draws to a close it's about time to look back and see what has happened, and especially to our Alabama College family.



If I remember right, it seems as if the first part of last year was filled with exams but right after that that came College Night with all its excitement. The real excitement came when the decision of the judges was in favor of the Purples.

With the coming of March and the SGA elections, I was proud to see the interest students took in these elections. Don't forget this interest and spirit and keep it up all through the coming year.

Of course, the school year drew to a close very quickly and I told many of my old friends goodbye.

The summer school was a tremendous success with the largest enrollment listed. The Science Institute added to the summer program.

Beginning with the Pre-School Planning Conference, things really began to get under way in September. First of all, and the most important, was the large increase in enrollment.

With the large enrollment came the Freshman Orientation Traditions and all of their activities.

Of course, the inauguration of Dr. Howard Phillips as the eighth president of Alabama College was a big event in October. We were very happy to welcome to the campus many of our old friends, in addition to the many delegates.

This month was also the time when the "Most Honorables" officially received their caps and gowns.

Elite Night and all the winners must not be forgotten, for I have heard many say that it was the best Elite Night program yet.

Then came November and the brisk, cool Fall days. Helping out in the annual Drives Week program was the newly organized Alabama College Band. By the way, I was listening to them practice the other day and they really do sound good. They did an excellent job in the Beauty Parade last Saturday also.

Thanksgiving Holidays are over and here it is almost time for the Christmas Holidays. As I look back over the year at Alabama College, we've had a good, prosperous year, and at the same time, we've had a good time as a family group, the characteristic of Alabama College.

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All ready and raring to open the Christmas presents and begin partying is typical Alabama College student Ann Aylsworth, a freshman from Shreve, Ohio.

Art Department Features Kaleidoscope In The Present Gallery Exhibition

Recent events in the Art Department include a banquet for art majors sponsored by Kappa Pi, National Art Society, December 4.

A film, "Earth and Flame", from the French-American Culture Society, was shown Dec. 5.

The major event was a gallery talk on the current exhibition in Comer Hall Dec. 10 at 8:00. The exhibition, Kaleidoscope, which de-

scribes the phases of American Interior Design from 1875-1960.

It begins with the Victorian Era and extends through the time of William Morris and the English Arts and Crafts Movement; L'Art Nouveau, Europe 1900; the Development Toward Modernism, 1910 to 1924; L'Art Moderne, 1925; the Further Development to Modern Furniture, 1930 to 1940; the Bauhaus School.

Senate President States

All Freshmen Women May Participate In College Night And Preparations

By Bertha Masterson

College Night is a College Activity which dearly needs the participation of every student on campus.

In participating in this unique event of Alabama College, it is generally agreed by those who have been active that one of its attributes is the number of talents engaged in which, of necessity, includes a great number of students.

How could a great majority of our students participate if a B average were required? And how could we ever expect a majority of the Freshman Class who are just now becoming adjusted in most cases to college life and to studying, to take part in College Night activities if they should be required to have a B average?

Hence, it is the opinion of the writer that before any one believes that the Student Senate, which is made up of students typical of all students on campus, would pass without explanation or reason any such legislation as that mentioned in last edition of the paper "allowing only the freshman girls with a B average to participate in the College Night activities?"

Also, students should not be aroused over final legislation which has not been confirmed for them by the signature of the president

of the Senate and SGA, which would have been posted on the SGA bulletin board had such a regulation as the above been passed.

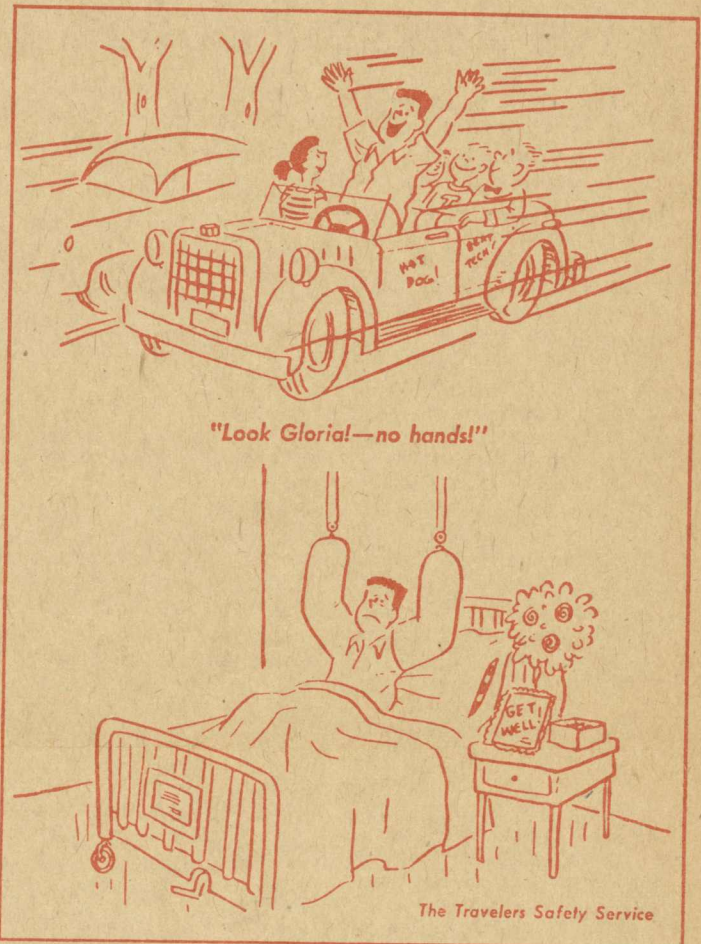
Why do students get overly upset over matters which they hear that the Senate has passed and yet they, except for a very few, never bother themselves to attend any of these meetings and hear for themselves what goes on, especially since they may support or object to proposals which are made by Senate members?

Therefore, this writer would like to urge every student to pay attention to the SGA bulletin board, which, on the day before Senate meetings (regular), has on it an announcement of the time and the topic to be discussed at the meeting.

Also, when a proposal made by the Senate becomes final, when it has been accepted by both the SGA Executive Council and the SGA Advisory Committee, it will be posted on this board.

The Road Toll

by Jerry Marcus



26.9% of the fatal accidents involved drivers under 25.

Pi Delta Epsilon Initiates Members

Pi Delta Epsilon, national journalism fraternity, initiated eight new members Tuesday, December 9.

To be eligible for membership, a student must have done outstanding work on one of the student publications in addition to maintaining a "C" average.

The following students were initiated: Ted Fuller, Laura Belle LaBorde, Hope Neely, Sylvia Pound, Stephanie Funke, Jane Graham, Joan Rabby, and Charlie Webster.

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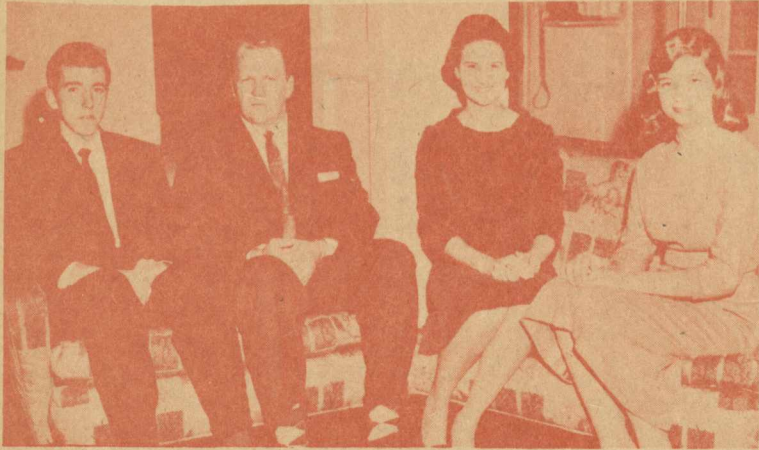
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Copping offices in the freshman class are James Kendrick, vice-president; Butch Ellis, president; Sue Dabbs, secretary; and Madge Barnard, treasurer. The class election was held Dec. 3 with run-offs on Dec. 4.

New Policies Are Adopted By The Publications Board

From time to time, the question of the purpose of the Publications Board has been raised. This board has adopted policies which it feels are for the best interest of the Alabama College publications. Some of the most outstanding of these policies are presented.

"The purpose of the publications committee of Alabama College, in addition to the purposes enumerated in the Handbook for Faculty and Staff, is to assist the editors and staffs of the several student publications in order to insure publications of the highest calibre and in the best interest of Alabama College.

"It shall not be the purpose of the Publications Committee to 'dictate' policies to editors of the publications.

"Editorial policy for each of the several student publications shall be established through the combined efforts of the editors and staffs of said student publications, and the publications committee.

"The publications committee further adopts as its purpose and policy the role of adviser to the editors of the several student publications.

"Keeping in mind the 'freedom of the press' guaranteed in the Bill of Rights, it shall be our policy to allow maximum freedom to student editors of the several student publications.

"It shall be the purpose and policy of the committee of publications never to interfere with the operations of any of the several student publications, unless there is evidence of negligence on the part of an editor, or there is evidenced a lack of responsibility on the part of an editor which is injurious to the best interests of Alabama College."

Any questions, complaints, or suggestions should be submitted to the publications committee in writing.

This will enable the respective editors and members of the publications committee to understand fully and to appropriate action, rather than merely to try to trace rumors.

This does not mean that questions, suggestions or complaints are not welcome, for by receiving these, the editors will be better equipped to publish student publications of the standard that is wished.

Business Club Plans For Year

The Business Administration Club, sponsored by the Business Administration Department, holds meetings every third Monday in Comer Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

Recently the club has written and ratified the constitution.

The new officers are: Charles Bence, president; Joanne Mink, vice president; LaVondra Harding, secretary, and Fred Wood, treasurer.

To fulfill its objective of increasing knowledge in all fields of business management, the club holds forums, debates, and discussions concerning many aspects in business management.

Top Six Beauties Presented At Dance

Presented last Saturday night to the Junior Dance guests were the Montage Top Six Beauties.

Sponsored by the Home Economics Club was Joy Andrews. Joy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Andrews of Geneva. She is a sophomore Home Economics major and secretary of the Ivol Spafford Club. She also belongs to the Baptist Student Union.

Jennie Cotney was sponsored by Lambda Sigma Pi, the senior women's honorary. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cotney of Roanoke, she is a Music Education major. Jennie is Chief Justice of the Student Court as well as a member of Phi Alpha Mu and the Chorale.

Rosalie Hart of Kingston, Jamaica, was sponsored by Mu Delta Alpha, the honorary Spanish major and has been featured by the Alabamian as a Campus Queen.

Pat Hodges represented Kappa Delta Pi. Pat is the daughter of Mrs. George Hodges of Ashville, and is a senior in Elementary Education. She had a leading role in College Night last year, and the previous year she was president of Hanson Hall.

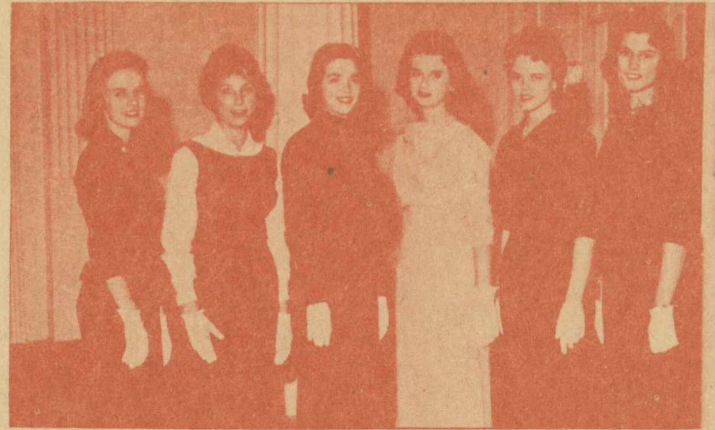
Patty Talley of Demopolis was sponsored by Tutwiler Hall. The daughter of Mrs. H. A. Talley, she is majoring in History, and belongs to Lambda Sigma Pi, Alpha Lambda Delta, and Kappa Delta P. She is the president of the senior class.

Charlotte McKinney is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McKinney of Birmingham. This junior was sponsored by Ramsay Hall. She majors in Music Education, and is a member of the Chorale. She attended Hewitt-Trussville High School.

Christmas Program

On December 16, Congressman Armistead I. Selden of the sixth district will speak to an open meeting of the International Relations Club.

The subject of Congressman Selden's speech will be centered around his recent visit to Europe where he attended the NATO Conference.



The six Montage beauties presented at the Junior Dance are Patty Talley, Charlotte McKinney, Joy Andrews, Pat Hodges, Rosalie Hart, and Jennie Cotney.

Student Directors Announce Plans For Six Productions

Alabama College Free Theatre announces plans for presentation of six productions during the remainder of the first semester. Students in Dr. Kochman's class of play directing will direct the plays as a class assignment.

"Lady of Larkspur Lotion" will be presented Dec. 15 by Margie Lane, director. The cast includes Leslie Duray, Martha Jane Lewis and Mary Lois Timbes.

On the same evening Harvey Fleming will direct "The End of the Trail" by Culbertson. His cast consists of Laurie Jean Klatt, Clinton Mills and Ned Lowery.

"The Slump" by Day, with Lena Hewston directing, will be presented Dec. 18. The cast for this play has not been announced.

Mary Ellen Grant will direct on that same evening "Suppressed Desire" by Susan Gossip. Karen

Mullins, Bill Ward and Louise Norrell make up the cast.

On January 9, Henry Emfinger and David Sayer will direct two plays. The plans for these have not been completed.

All these programs will begin at 7:30 p.m.

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Local Student Presides At Regional Conference

At the Southeast Regional Conference of the Association of International Relations Clubs, Terry Langford was Alabama College's representative as well as the presiding officer. It was held at Virginia Military Institute, December 4-6.

Terry, a Political Science major, has been President of the Alabama College IRC, and is this year serving the club as Secretary-Treasurer.

The delegates who attended this conference were representative of 14 colleges and universities in six of the nine states which compose the region. New officers were elected by these delegates.

The days of this conference were filled not only with the necessary business meetings of such an organization but with informative speeches and discussions as well.

The theme was The Military, Executive and Legislative Aspects of the Chinese Question and the

present U. S. Policy Towards Nationalist and Communist China.

It was discussed and developed by several noteworthy persons such as Marshall Green of the Department of State who stressed the importance of the continuation of U. S. recognition of Nationalist China, Lt. Gen. C. Ruffner, Commanding General, U.S. Third Army presented the strategic significance of both Nationalist and Communist China.

This conference was brought to an end by a major address given by his Excellency, The Ambassador of the Republic of China, George K. C. Yeh, who spoke of the Nationalist Chinese hope of some day returning to their rightful home on the mainland of China.

Other activities which were presented in honor of the IRC conference delegates at VMI were a Formal Regimental Review by the VMI Corps of Cadets and an informal dance with music furnished by the VMI Commanders Combo.



TERRY LANGFORD

Dance Group Selects Members

New members selected for Orchestris, modern dance group on campus, this semester include: Mary Carter, Geneva, Jo Ann Baites, Huntsville, Jo Veal, Tarrant City, and Donna Warren, Miami.

Try-outs are held at the first of each new semester and the contestants are carefully graded and selected by the old members.

Officers of this club are: Joyce Willis, President, Marlene Rowell, Vice-President, Joyce Zucco, Secretary and Treasurer, Gene McCutchen, Publicity Chairman, Adah Troup, Wardrobe Mistress, and Miss Catherine Carlson, Sponsor.

Plans are already underway, announces Gene McCutchen, for a concert to be given sometime in the spring.

This concert will include a presentation of dance as it developed through the ages, selections from Broadway shows, and a history of Alabama in the form of dance.

College Students Contribute To World University Service

By Sara Lou Berry

Out of the holocaust of the First World War, World University Service was born. It began to rehabilitate educational facilities that had been destroyed by the war and to keep free the mind of the student.

But before its peace-time program could be fully developed, another World War broke out and WUS had to work behind the battle lines providing relief for refugees.

When the world was once more at peace, the international program of WUS began to change; the

emphasis shifted from post-war rehabilitation to mutual aid and technical assistance. For over a decade this program has been continued.

The regular program of WUS answers long-term needs, such as health clinics, printing equipment, and student housing. The need for medical facilities is one of the big problems facing WUS.

But WUS is also capable of swift, immediate action; it was on the scene in Korea, giving relief and aid behind the battle lines, and more recently, WUS played an outstanding part in the relief of the Hungarian refugees following the Hungarian revolt.

It is a world-wide organization of students and faculty for the purpose of helping each other in time of need and crisis.

On this campus, money for WUS is obtained through Drives Week. Several years ago, WUS was the only organization contributed to through this campaign and the amounts sent in during those years make the more recent ones look sad indeed. Twice the sum nearly hit \$900.00.

There has been some discussion on this campus among students and faculty about the increasing shift of interest in Drives Week. It has come to be merely a week when one may, for varying amounts, scream in the library, wear Bermuda shorts to class, or smoke in the dining room.

The organizations listed on Drives Week ballots are worthy, to be sure, but perhaps we need to make an evaluation of the aims and purposes of Drives Week in order to set up a project that offers a well-defined goal.

Council Members Majorettes Elected By College Band

Alabama College's band has elected six members to serve on its executive council:

President, Jimmy Stanton; Vice-President, Arthur Garrett; Secretary, Nan Jackson; Librarian, Elson Hood; Stage Manager, David Leuth; Assistant director, Mike Mahan.

The executive council issues the following statement of policy in regard to use of the band. "Two weeks' notification must be given the band before any desired date of performance. Any group on campus may request use of the band with this notification."

Another new feature of the band are the newly selected majorettes. They are Nan Jackson, Nancy Devore, Linda Dunkin, Janice Jones, and Virginia Pugh.

FUTURE FEATURES

Sunday, December 14, 3:00 p.m., Baptist Church—Community Presentation of "The Messiah".

7:30 p.m.—Repeat Presentation of "The Messiah".

Monday, December 15, 7:30 p.m., Reynolds Auditorium—Free Theatre Production.

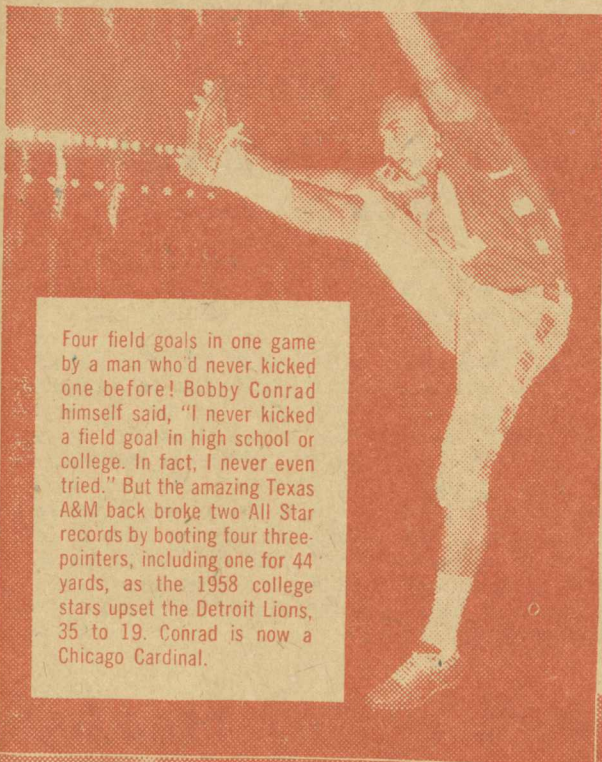
Tuesday, December 16, 11:00 a.m., Palmer Auditorium—School of Music Christmas Concert assisted by the Orchestris Club.

7:00 p.m., Reynolds Dining Room—Physical Education Club Christmas Party.

7:30 p.m., Social Science Building—IRC Christmas Party.

Friday, December 19, 4:30 p.m.—Christmas Holidays Begin.

THEY SAID IT COULDN'T BE DONE - BUT TODAY'S L&M GIVES YOU-



Four field goals in one game by a man who'd never kicked one before! Bobby Conrad himself said, "I never kicked a field goal in high school or college. In fact, I never even tried." But the amazing Texas A&M back broke two All Star records by booting four three-pointers, including one for 44 yards, as the 1958 college stars upset the Detroit Lions, 35 to 19. Conrad is now a Chicago Cardinal.

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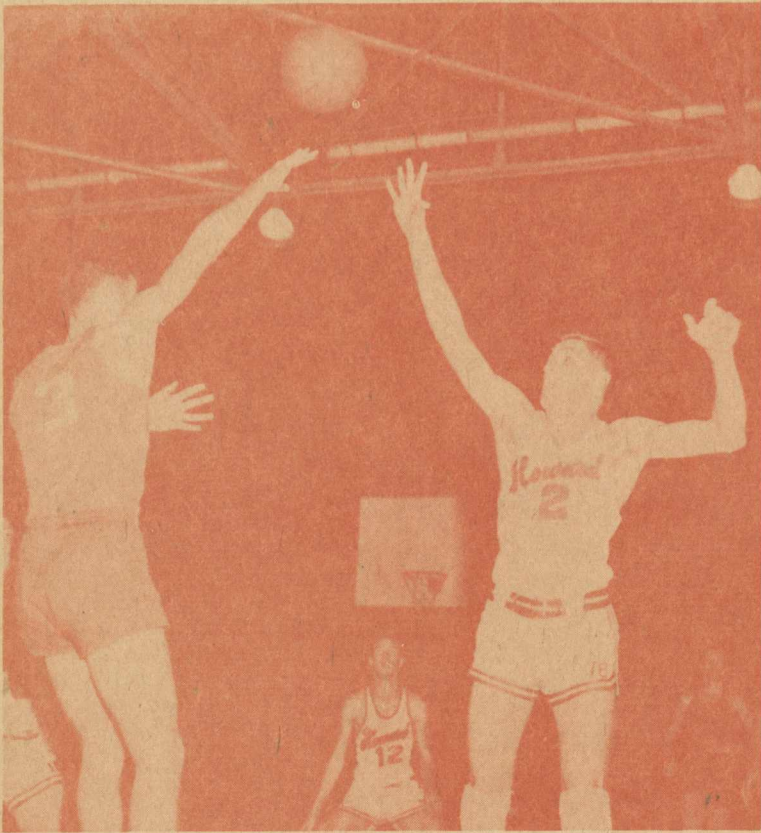
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This Howard player was too late to keep A.C. All-Stars from bagging two more points.

All-Stars Rip The Howard Bulldogs 71-46 To Win First Inter-Collegiate Game

By Bob Stoddard

A fired-up Alabama College All-Star team jumped off to an early lead Thursday night and continued to sack up points through the game to trounce the Howard Freshmen by a 71-46 score.

The Alabama College team, picked by various intramural captains from their own ranks, had run up a big margin before five minutes had passed.

Fourteen men were selected from the intramural teams to represent Alabama College in this contest.

Coach Anderson alternated the teams letting a platoon switch every 5 minutes. The half-time score was 34-22.

Sid Godfrey was high with 8 points at the half, followed by Allen Holmes, who had hit for 6. Eight other A.C. players were in the scoring column.

ed by a fine all-star team. Although there were not as many spectators as there should have been present, the enthusiasm displayed by those who attended the game was impressive. Perhaps the team's well-displayed athletic ability was due to the fact that the students cheered them "on" until the last buzzer.

It is very evident that our all-stars will do as good a job in the future games to be played as they did in this one. They appreciate the support of everyone, so be sure to come to the next game and help inspire them to victory.

Something new has recently been added to the athletic program at A.C. It is an inter-collegiate tennis team. As soon as the weather allows, these boys will be getting into the competition.

Another team that merits mention is our swimming team. They haven't faced any competition as of yet, but rest assured they will do a good job when they do.

Alabama College controlled the second half, also outscoring the Howard team 37-24. Gary Holmes was high scorer in this half with 8. Eight of the 14 A. C. players scored at least two points.

High point men for the game were Allen Holmes 11, Gary Holmes 10, and Sid Godfrey 10.

Players for Alabama College included Sidney Godfrey, Allen and Gary Holmes, Ellis Faught, Jerry Harrison, Roy McCaig, Herry Barton.

Albert Van Cleave, Jack Harris, Ralph Thrasher, Roy Mims, Fred Wood, Donnie Jacks, and Bobby Hayes.



ALLEN AND GARY HOLMES

Campus Cagers Clash

Excitement is really running high through out the dormitories as the women's basketball tournament progresses. Hanson I, sparked by Pat Kelly, Laura Bailey and Jo de Vaughan seems to be taking the lead in intramurals this year. Running a close second are Hanson II and Ramsay I, led by outstanding players Shorty Hill and Sparky Sparkman.

Congratulations to our All Stars for ripping Howard's quintet, 71-46. Let's have more games and school spirit like that.

A Name the Team contest will be sponsored by the Aabamian in future issues. So be sure and don that thinking cap. Prizes will be awarded to the top team name.

News teams in men's intercollegiate sports which have recently been formed are tennis and swimming teams. These boys have really been practicing to make a good showing when the season opens on April 24.

Also practicing is the Catalina Club which is making preparations for the water ballet next spring. The club is really organizing an excellent show.

The last couple of weeks have witnessed a lot of excitement on the part of the students of A.C., due to some important sports events which took place.

Everyone who saw the game between A.C. and Howard agreed that we were very ably represent-

Holmes Brothers Display Brilliant Jump Shooting

The beam of our sports spotlight falls on two boys who are brothers. This week we pay tribute to Allen and Gary Holmes, who, in the course of their high school days, have proved to be outstanding athletes. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett O. Holmes of Falkville, Alabama.

Each of these two lads played four years of basketball, three years of football, and two years of baseball for their high school team. In his senior year Allen was captain of the basketball team and had a 12.5 average per game. He made all-district and in 1957 was a member of county first team.

Gary was captain of the football and basketball teams in his senior year and had 18 point average for each basketball game. He was elected to Morgan County first team in his junior year.

Both have demonstrated their abilities at A.C. by displaying a fine performance during intramural football season and by racking up nearly 300 points together thus far in basketball. They both like Alabama College, but think that we should have more inter-collegiate competition. Both agree that to be a good athlete calls for continual practice and the determination to play and win.

Do You Think for Yourself? (HERE'S A TEST THAT WILL TELL YOU!*)



1. If the salaries were equal, would you rather be a college professor than a movie star?

YES ☐ NO ☐



5. Do you believe it unwise to eat at irregular hours, even though you're hungry?

YES ☐ NO ☐



2. Would you rather borrow money from a bank or institution than from a friend?

YES ☐ NO ☐



6. If you actually saw a "flying saucer" land, would you run for your life?

YES ☐ NO ☐



3. Would you rather have tests sprung on you than be warned about them in advance?

YES ☐ NO ☐



7. Would you be inclined to follow the latest style in clothes regardless of how it looked to you?

YES ☐ NO ☐



4. Do you think it's foolish to daydream?

YES ☐ NO ☐



8. Would you feel badly if you thought nobody at all knew where you were?

YES ☐ NO ☐

9. Are you confused by the clamor of conflicting claims so many filter cigarettes are making these days?

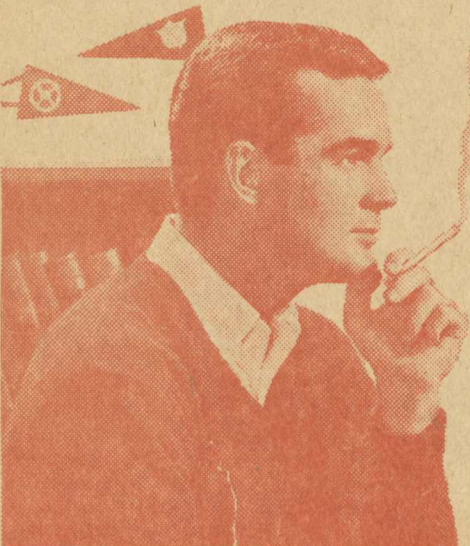
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"Twelfth Night" To Be Feb. 4

"Twelfth Night", one of the most popular of Shakespeare's comedies, will be presented in Palmer Auditorium on February 4 by the nationally celebrated PLAYERS INCORPORATED.

With the achievement of its 10th season this year, this touring company has become the longest running national classical repertory theatre in the United States during the 20th century.

Home base for PLAYERS INCORPORATED is the Speech and Drama Department of the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C. The fifteen actors belonging to this troupe are graduates of this school.

Beginning in the early fall and ending in the early spring, PLAYERS INCORPORATED give approximately 150 performances. Sets and costumes are especially designed for each new PLAYERS production.

PLAYERS INCORPORATED travels are not limited to the Continental United States. They have given performances in Canada and further north in the Arctic Circle. PLAYERS have also made six international tours under the auspices of the Department of Defense.

Their "lay-off" summer months are occupied by the operations of two summer theatres, one in Olney, Maryland, and the other on the St. Michaels College campus in Winooski, Park, Vermont.

Reunion Classes Are Announced

The 1959 Homecoming held in conjunction with College Night will be held Feb. 21. Reunion classes for this year will be graduates of 1907, 1935, 1939, 1949, 1954, and 1958.

Alumni will be honored throughout the day. Registration for the alumni will begin at 8 a.m. in Reynolds Foyer. The annual business meeting will be at 11 a.m. that morning in Reynolds Dining Room.

The luncheon, honoring the Alumni of the Year, will be at 12:30 in Anna Irving Hall. The alumni tea is scheduled from 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Alabama College Plays Host To Curriculum State Meeting

The Alabama Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development meeting will be held here February 12-14.

The group is meeting to constitute a balance in the curriculum throughout the state.

It will be composed of supervisors, college professors, state department representatives, and outstanding classroom teachers.

They will be divided into five groups. Discussions will be on questions worked out by Alabama College's program committee. Saturday morning a panel discussion composed of representatives from each group is scheduled.

Dr. Margaret Gill from the A.S.C.D. headquarters in Washington, D. C., will be the guest speaker. She will give the keynote address at the general session Friday. She will speak on the kind of citizenship our schools should try to de-



LAST MILE — Twelve graduates make the last mile by the registrar's window. These students will graduate at mid-term. Standing in line for the last time are: Mrs. Carolyn Wilkerson Wooley, Margaret Sue Harden, Judy Albright, Shirley Stabler, Robbie Frye Cook, Mrs. Marvulin Moore Stephens, Dan Smith, and Ted Fuller. Not pictured are John Gay, Imogene Brooks, Elizabeth McHenry, and Mary Helen Capell.

(Photo by Mike Mahan)

Main Elects House Council

Election of members of the Main House Council was completed by the Freshmen women last week.

Joan Murphree was elected president of the House in the house-wide election prior to the Christmas holidays. Also elected were the following women and their respective posts: Elaine Anderson, vice-president; Judith Davis, secretary; Patsy Sanders, treasurer; and Phyllis Tate, social chairman.

Last week each hall elected a hall chairman who in turn named the hall proctors who were approved at a special council meeting. The chairmen and their proctors are first east hall chairman, Betty Frost, proctors, Joyce Lyons and Dot Shroeder.

Second east hall chairman, Janice Jones, proctors, Lorna Teany and Paige Anthony; third east hall chairman, Pat Smith, proctors, Viva Dean Barnett and Florence Wentz; second central hall chairman, Sally Rau, proctors, Peggy Miller and Dell Drummond.

Third central hall chairman, Bobbie Jean Green, proctors, Elaine Anderson and Elizabeth Mims; fourth central hall chairman, Becky Martin, proctors, Vernetta Hudson and Ella Johnson.

velop. At a dinner meeting that night she will discuss the type of teachers needed.

Miss Minnie Dunn, professor of education at Alabama College, is chairman of the planning program. Assisting her is Dr. E. P. Lauderdale. Dr. Charles Gormley is in charge of local arrangements. Serving with him are Mr. Melton Thornton and Mrs. Charlotte Peterson.

Griffith At Confab

Dr. Lucille Griffith represents the Social Science department at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association in Washington, D. C.

A variety of subjects ranging from the Far East and Colonial America to "How To Teach Freshman History" were discussed.

Twelve January Grads Relate Future Plans

Editorship Forms Due Next Month

Application for editorships of the three Alabama College publications must be submitted to the Publications Board by Feb. 16. Students seeking these posts in the spring elections must be approved by the board.

Each publication has its own qualifications, which any student desiring to run must meet. Application sheets may be obtained from the Publications Board.

Qualifications for editorship of the ALABAMIAN include a semester of journalism.

For most students at Alabama College, January 23 simply marks the end of the one semester, followed closely by another period of study, but for twelve students it is the end of a phase of life.

These twelve are the January graduates who have completed their study and are about to begin a new career. Each one has his own plans for the future.

Shirley Stabler has already secured a teaching position and will be teaching 98 seventh graders science, English, and mathematics at the Montevallo High School.

The Southern Research Institute in Birmingham has claimed the services of Margaret Sue Harden. Margaret will probably be working on cancer research. She plans to enter the state of matrimony on January 24.

Ted Fuller will travel to Talladega after his graduation. He will be a speech therapist at the Talladega School for the Deaf.

No plans at all are the plans of Mrs. Marvulin Moore Stephens. She plans to take a rest and just be a mother and housekeeper before she starts teaching home economics in the fall.

Waiting for her applications to be answered is Robbie Frye Cook. She plans to teach home economics somewhere in Alabama.

Teaching is the aim of Elizabeth McHenry as she journeys to Montgomery. There she will take over a third grade class at Bellingrath. She too plans to marry, but a little later this year, perhaps in June.

Mrs. Carolyn Wilkerson Wooley is seeking a position in the field of dietetics. If a suitable job comes along, she will begin work immediately.

The Army has claimed Dan Smith for the next several months, after which time he will go into some phase of social work. Dan has his eye on the job of probation officer.

Mary Helen Capell is also awaiting answer to applications. She aspires to find employment as a mathematician or else in teaching mathematics in the public schools.

Also graduating are Judy Albright, John Gay, and Imogene Brooks who were not available for comment as to their plans for the future.

Will The Alabamian Survive?

Death in the form of gradual decay threatens Alabama College. Due to a lack of interest and student support, the ALABAMIAN may be discontinued. If no students qualify for editorship of the ALABAMIAN, or volunteer to work on the staff, the voice of the student body will be silenced. The ALABAMIAN is established for student benefit. If the student body does not want it, then there is no purpose in its existence.

Application Deadline Nears For Summer European Seminar

Application deadline for Alabama College students for the European Seminar this summer is Jan. 20. Screening of applicants is necessary before acceptance.

Alabama College students will study with students from other American universities and colleges.

The trip will last from June 6 to July 24. Residences will be

in Amsterdam, Claire, England, and Paris.

Lecturers from many European universities will travel with the group. Their lectures will be in the fields of art, history and social science.

Applications and information for joining this group may be obtained from a member of the seminar committee.



THE TRUTH IS OUT — All the talk was right and the truth is out why women have returned to the famed leotards as vivacious Bobbie Hopkins is "found out". A sophomore majoring in home economics, from Suttle, Ala., the brown-haired, blue-eyed beauty, selected for this month's Campus Queen, is caught in the act as she snags her dress taking a short-cut behind Calkins Hall. (Photo by Mike Mahan)

Jurisdiction Rule Undergoes Change

The jurisdiction rule of Alabama College has been changed. The student senate and student government advisory committee have approved the change.

Alabama College now has jurisdiction over students except when a student is signed out for an overnight absence under the chaperonage of her parent or legal guardian, either in Montevallo or out-of-town.

Any student representing the college officially or attending a college function is under the jurisdiction of the college.

A student visiting another campus must follow the regulations of the host institution.

Students under the jurisdiction of the college as defined are not permitted to drink or handle intoxicants.

Rules For Failure

Many books, rules, and tears have been written telling college students how to study for final examinations. No special skill is required to set up some standards for studying. Every student does it. Whether or not he writes down rules, he certainly follows some.

Here are some of the most relaxing and helpful hints:

1. Create an appropriate atmosphere by playing the hi-fi or radio as loud as possible. Music soothes the nerves.
 2. Misery loves company, so have at least six other students studying in the same room. Helpful hints are always appreciated, so have an excessive amount of conversation.
 3. Refreshments such as cokes, cookies, candy, and the all-important coffee, are always essential. The body must be conditioned for studying.
 4. If the right position for studying is gained, problems vanish. The bed is the most relaxing place to study. After all, aren't some of the most restful hours spent there?
 5. Last, but certainly not least, there must be a regular break from the rough grind. The Tea House is noted for its relaxing atmosphere. As for the regularity, nothing could be more systematic than every other hour for not less than thirty minutes and not more than two hours.
- Most any intelligent and hard-working student should find these hints help in the forthcoming week. Good luck, brave souls who follow it!

From The President's Desk

May I wish for each of you a completely successful and happy 1959. Though all of the members of the faculty and staff are pledged to do everything possible to insure your academic success and your individual happiness for the coming year, the primary responsibility for both rests upon you. You must apply yourselves diligently and work hard for both. These are "commodities" which can not be attained easily by any person. They are not derived by either indifferent or negative attitudes. You must work hard for them in a positive manner!



After a series of conferences with students, faculty members and members of the administrative staff, an academic calendar has been adopted for 1959-60. Though the calendar represents some compromise in suggestions among the various groups, it provides in my opinion, one of the best holiday schedules existent in America for students, faculty and staff. Moreover, it meets the necessary academic standards and requirements for an institution of higher education, including any standard stated or implied by any accrediting agency.

The calendar, which will appear in the new Alabama College Bulletin (catalog), provides for a Thanksgiving holiday period that begins with the close of classes on Tuesday preceding Thanksgiving (full days—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday) with return to classes at 8:00 a.m. on Monday morning. With a full holiday (Wednesday) before Thanksgiving, every student and faculty member, including European travelers, will be able to travel the distance to their homes in time to celebrate Thanksgiving Day.

The Christmas holidays will cover the same period in general as formerly arranged in the calendar, the total length depending primarily upon the date (Friday) scheduled for closing. One full week has been scheduled for Spring Holidays. The closing date of the academic year depends upon the Sunday date arranged for graduating exercises.

The calendar printed below represents the actual schedule for the next academic year. Beginning with the opening of the Fall Semester 1959, this same calendar, with the minor adjustments made necessary each year, will be in effect for the future. The holidays listed in this calendar represent the total number! It is my hope that they meet with your approval.

The College Calendar

1959

- Sept. 5, Saturday, Dormitories open, dinner will be served.
- Sept. 5, Saturday, Meeting of the staff, 7:30 p.m.
- Sept. 7-9, Monday-Wednesday, Orientation of new students and registration of all students.
- Sept. 9, Wednesday, Last day for registration without paying late registration fee.
- Sept. 10, Thursday, Classes begin at 8:00 a.m.
- Sept. 28, Monday, Last day for changing classes without penalty.
- Oct. 12, Monday, Founder's Day.
- Oct. 24, Saturday, Condition examinations.
- Nov. 6, Friday, Mid-semester.
- Nov. 24, Tuesday, Thanksgiving holidays begin 4:30 p.m.
- Nov. 30, Monday, Classes resume after Thanksgiving holidays.
- Dec. 18, Friday, Christmas holidays begin at 4:30 p.m.

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- Jan. 4, Monday, Classes resume after Christmas holidays.
- Jan. 18-22, Monday-Friday, Final examinations for first semester.
- Jan. 25, Monday, Registration for second semester.
- Jan. 26, Tuesday, Classes begin 8:00 a.m. Last day for registration without paying late registration fee.
- Feb. 15, Monday, Last day for changing classes without penalty.
- March 25, Friday, Mid-semester.
- March 25, Friday, Spring holidays begin at 4:30 p.m.
- April 4, Monday, Classes resume after spring holidays 8:00 a.m.
- April 9, Saturday, Condition examinations.
- May 23-27, Monday-Friday, Final examinations for second semester.
- May 29, Sunday, Commencement exercises.
- May 30, Monday, Dormitories close 12:00 noon. Dinner will not be served.
- June 6, Monday, Summer School begins.



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WHY DON'T I HAVE ANY DATES?

(Editor's note: The above poem was contributed by Bobby Harrison who found it in the Alabama's MAHOUT which in turn had been copied from the AWS BULLETIN BOARD.)

Knowledge Can Be Bought

There stands a storehouse of knowledge filled with facts, information, and adventure.

It is quite an odd feeling to sit down for a few minutes and visualize the library as the powerful institution that it is. It could be compared with a small piece of radium for it is potential energy waiting to be used by persons interested enough to seek it.

Naturally, a person does not have the time to read every book or even a third during his college career, but the time that is spent reading is worthwhile.

If students here at Alabama College feel that they can't spend all of their free time in the library, there is another source of good books offered. The Tea House has built a fine selection of books most useful and enjoyable to college students.

There are pocket-size books on literature, drama, philosophy, music, history, art, languages, or most any field of study. And there are books for just pleasure and enjoyment.

Many of Alabama College students are not aware of this collection or they do not pay much attention to it. The books are priced to suit the budgets of most students and are possessions they can add to their own libraries for years to come.

Whether it be the library or the book section of the Tea House, find new interests and adventures in these books that are available. They are waiting to be explored!

"Medieval World" New Art Exhibit

Now through Tuesday, January 20, the Art Department is exhibiting in Comer a Life Magazine feature, THE MEDIEVAL WORLD. The exhibit consists of photographs of medieval cathedrals, prints from old manuscripts, and other colorful pictures and word sketches of the Middle Ages. The gallery talk on this show was held on Thursday, January 15.

A film on French Romanesque art will be shown at 7 p.m. January 28 in Comer Auditorium.

Famous Dancers Visit On Campus

Alabama College was host to the Dance Drama Company which presented a program featuring Emily Frankel in Palmer Hall.

The Dance Drama Company is the only group of its kind in America today. Each dance in the repertoire has been created especially for the company by an outstanding choreographer. Each dancer in the company is a soloist in his own right.

Miss Frankel and Mark Ryder started the Dance Drama Company in 1950. Since that time it has been proclaimed by far the finest dance program.

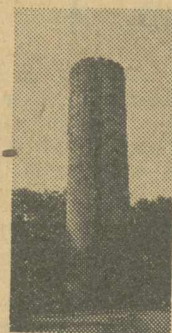
It has performed in legitimate theatre, University, Community, and Civic concerts, with symphony orchestras, on television and on all major dance festivals in 600 American cities and from Canada to Israel.

The members of the company are Ronnie Lee, Marvin Gordon, Zebra Nevins, Terence Miller, Eloise Ramsey, Joel Anderson, Barbara Hoyt, and Miss Frankel.

TOWER TALKS

"Ring out the old, ring in the new." And I think Alabama College has some interesting events in the future with College Night just around the bend.

Freshmen have a gala experience in for them as the cabinets are chosen Sunday night following exams.



Those final examinations will have been graded and tucked away in the files as visions of Purple and Gold dance before them.

I like to look back on some of the highlights of 1958. One is especially outstanding.

The walls of Phillips Memorial Hall glistened with sparkling drops of pink champagne that defied student and faculty criticism.

The christening of the watchmen's station came as a surprise. Dr. Howard Phillips calmly invited all those in convocation to witness the official naming of "his" pet project.

The flask of pink champagne was dashed against the red brick following a humorous but impressive speech.

By this christening, Dr. Phillips fused administrative and student understanding and spirit.

Welcome aboard friend and administrator, President Phillips!

Old man winter tipped his hat this past week. I've had the shivers, for Jack Frost packed ice on my sides. But with the appearance of a few rays of warm sunshine, it soon melted and fell off. Thank goodness, that ice could have been as dangerous to passers-by as it was to my virus tendency.

FUTURE FEATURES

- January 19-23. First semester final examinations
- January 26. Registration for second semester
- February 1. Chamber Music 3:00 p.m.
- February 4. Players Incorporated, "Twelfth Night", 8:15 p.m.
- February 12-14. Alabama Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development meeting.
- February 19-21. College Night and Homecoming
- February 21. Homecoming Luncheon 12:30 p.m.

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Montage Staff Packs Shipment

The 1959 Montage will send its last shipment to press Feb. 28. This will be the fourth deadline the Montage staff has met.

Publishers of the Montage are The Taylor Publishing Company with its home offices in Dallas, Texas.

The 200 page annual should be released to students before the end of the second semester. The latter part of May is the expected distributing time.

The '59 Montage will feature a duotone introductory section and division pages.

The top six beauties will be photographed by a well-known Birmingham photographer. The beauties selected by Gary Moore, famous television star, are Jennie Cotney, Pat Hodges, Patty Talley, Rosalie Hart, Charlotte McKinney, and Joy Andrews.

The Montage is edited by Jane Graham. Assistant editors are Ann Riley and Laura Belle Laborde.

National Winner Of Organ Award Plays On Campus

Ray Ferguson, a member of the faculty of Oberlin Conservatory of Music, and this year's national winner of the annual organ competition sponsored by the American Guild of Organists, was presented in recital January 12 in Palmer Auditorium.

His program included the following selections: Prelude and Fugue in C Major, by Georg Bolm; Several works by J. S. Bach; Variations on a Noel, by Marcel Dupre; several works by Helmut Walcha; God Among Us, by Oliver Messiaen.

Did You Know . . .

- that Main Dormitory is the largest dormitory for women in the United States? (1946)
- that Reynolds was used as a hospital during the Civil War?
- that at one time pupils were not permitted to entertain either friends or relatives in the dormitory?

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EARLY EASTER PARADE — At least for home economics students in freshman clothing and the junior tailoring classes. Peggy Thompson, Karen Mullins, Nancy DeVore, Judy Price, and Velma Whitfield are seen modeling their latest creations for the recent fashion show.

Home Ec Students Of Clothing Classes Are Featured In Fashion Parade

Blue Ribbon Fashions of 1959, sponsored by the freshman clothing class and the tailoring class, were shown Thursday, January 8, in Comer auditorium.

Clothing made by students during the semester under the guidance of Miss Mabel Owsley

was featured. The newest looks in the empire and semi-sac styles were modeled. Narration was given by Jo Ann Mynard.

A coffee was held in Bloch living room by the Omicron Nu fraternity immediately after the show.

Free Polio Vaccine Available To Students

Senate Changes College Night Regulations

The Senate kicked off the New Year of 1959 in its meeting January 5. Inventory of accomplishments during 1958 was reviewed after which plans for the New Year were outlined.

Changes in the College Night regulations suggested by the Faculty Advisory Committee were presented and approved.

The jurisdiction rule presentation, which had been directed to the Senate from the Faculty Advisory Committee, was discussed and approved.

This jurisdiction rule was presented in convocation. It is now posted on the Student Government bulletin board.

Frances Torricelli representing the Freshman Class, Peggy Capell and Linda Broach representing Main Dormitory were new Senators.

New Group Enters Clinic On Jan. 25

A new group of children will enter the Alabama College speech and hearing clinic Sunday, Jan. 25.

The children will be in the clinic for a period of twelve weeks. All the children are under sixteen.

The group will live in dormitory style while attending the workshop. All meals are prepared by the college but served at the clinic.

Free polio vaccine will be given to Alabama College students who have not yet received their polio shots. The first shot was available Jan. 14 at the Infirmary.

The Shelby County Rural Health Committee in cooperation with the Shelby County Medical Association is sponsoring a drive to make the shots available to everyone in the county under 40 years of age.

"The shots will be available to students of Alabama College. Their donations to the March of Dimes through Drives Week goes to the Shelby County March of Dimes Association" said Dr. W. C. Browne, Vincent, Chairman of the rural health committee.

Dr. Browne said that the vaccine will be available free on only one day for each of the three shots of the series. The date for the second and third shots of the series will be announced.

Ballentine Speaks At B. A. Meeting

The first official meeting of the Business Administration Club will be held Jan. 19. Mr. R. E. Ballentine, Westinghouse executive at the Montevallo plant will be the guest speaker.

Coffee will be served following the program. The meeting will be in Comer auditorium at 7 p.m.

Release Of Tower To Be In January

The winter issue of the TOWER will be released Jan. 20. Free copies of the TOWER, the college literary magazine, will be given to each student.

This issue of the TOWER will be the first to be published in magazine form. Pictorial lay-outs are another new feature of the publication.

The TOWER is open to faculty and student submission of literary material and illustrations. The forthcoming issue is under the editorship of Bob Murray.

Theatre Council Inducts Eleven

The Alabama College Theatre Council has extended membership to eleven new students on the basis of excellent work in the theatre productions.

Five points must be gained in two phases of theatrical work. Seven points must be gained in only one phase.

Receiving invitations were: Ed Cooper, Harris Holly, Linda Johnson, Pat Kelly, B. J. Knowles, Barbara Lett, Carolyn Mauldin, Tom Skinner, Margie Stephens, Jig Wilson, and Mary Katharine Wilson.

Initiation was held Thursday night, Jan. 15.

Polly Holliday is the president of the Theatre Council.

Essay Contest Open To College Students

Alabama College students have an opportunity to enter an essay contest for college students sponsored by the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization.

The subject is "Collective Security in Southeast Asia". The first prize is \$100 and a trip to Monterey Peninsula, California, where he will attend the 12th annual conference of the Association of International Relations Clubs at Asilomar, Calif.



DIAMONDS ARE A GIRL'S BEST FRIENDS — Which these A.C. girls have adopted as permanent friends. Santa was good to (standing) Joy Williams, Mary Ethel Horne, Barbara J. Walker, Sandra White (seated), Carolyn Pinson, Barbara A. Walker, Peggy Miller, and Mary Ann Warrick, for they received their engagement rings. (Photo by Gene Brymer)

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Sports Spotlight

All-Stars To Meet Tourney Champs

This week the beam of our sports spotlight falls on Ellis Faught. Ellis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin E. Faught of Greensboro, Alabama. He is a 6' 1", nineteen year old sophomore who came to Alabama College upon transferring from Howard College this year.

Ellis attended Greensboro High School where he played five years of basketball as a forward and center. He was captain of the Greensboro Warriors, his junior and senior years. In his junior year he was chosen for All-tournament four times and also All-Thrid district.

In his senior year he was again chosen for All-Tournament three times and in this same year was elected most favored player. Also during his senior year his team went to the State finals and yielded only to Murphy of Mobile for second.

At Howard he was a member of the All-Star intramural team and was among four who made the All-Star tournament.

Ellis is the captain of Alabama College's undefeated fighting "Rebel Rousers". His team has defeated its first foe in the men's intramural tournament and from the looks of things is well on its way to victory.

When asked how he rated the basketball teams of Alabama College, Ellis replied, "In comparison to most other co-ed colleges there are only a few men here. However, with the quality and experience of the boys playing intramural basketball, I believe that we are capable of holding our own against any small college, provided we have the support of the faculty and students."



ELLIS FAUGHT

Tennis, Swimming Teams May Be Intercollegiate

It has been made known that possibly two men's intercollegiate sports may be added the 1958-1959 schedule of sports.

Mr. Floyd Anderson, physical education instructor, announced tentative teams in swimming and tennis.

It is hoped that these teams will be able to participate with other colleges in Alabama of its size this winter and next spring when the two seasons open.

Practice is now being conducted three days a week at the pool and on the courts. About twenty men are going out for swimming while tennis has attracted about eight participants.

Coaching tennis and swimming are Mr. Frank Lightfoot and Mr. Floyd Anderson, respectively.

Congratulations to the girls making the All-Star basketball team, an honor heaped on all outstanding players of the losing tournament teams. The winning team of the tourney was Hanson I.

The All-Star cagers, selected on the basis of their skill in participation, will meet Hanson I, Jan. 28 in a game that should be a thriller.

Hanson I, the top team of the '58-'59 season is composed of Pat Kelly, Jo DeVaughn, Laura Bailey, Shirley Baker, Barbara Newton, Priscilla Campbell, Merry Ann Warrick, and Jo Stojick.

Outstanding players making the All-Stars include: freshmen—Joline Turner, Juanita Johnson, Priscilla Patterson, Judy Gunnin, Joan Murphee; sophomores — Shorty Hill, Christine Goodin, Judy Cain, Mary Ellen Bruhn, Jane Ingram; juniors — Linda Sparkman, Joyce Willis, Jo Veal, Betty LeGrande, Jeanette Edwards, Mable Austin; seniors — Barbara Turner, Sue Swann, Lorna West, and Barbara Evans.

SPORTS QUIZ

1. What is the team ranked by the Associated Press as being number one through Saturday, January 10?
2. Who was voted the National Football League's 1958 Rookie of the Year?
3. Who was chosen as Minor League Manager of the Year?
4. Who is the U.S. Davis Cup star from Peru?
5. What top cage teams play today in Montgomery?

SPORTS QUIZ ANSWERS

1. North Carolina State.
2. Jimmy Orr.
3. Cal Ermer of Birmingham's Barons.
4. Alex Olmedo.
5. Auburn and Alabama.



BEFORE AND AFTER — Exams that is. Freshman Ronnie Bryant is busy cramming for final examinations, which are slated for next week. Jubilant will he be at the end of his last test. And the door of Napier Hall is just the place to start celebrating. (Photo by Vance Bush)

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College Night Cabinets Presented To Students

Enthusiasm for College Night 1959 began to boil this week as cabinet members for the Purples and Golds were announced to the student body at the SGA convocation on January 27.

A joint-cabinet meeting met Monday night with the College Night Advisory Committee to lay general plans for the coming festivity. Purple and Gold Cabinet meetings were held following the joint meeting. Extreme secrecy prevailed while each side discussed plans for their production.

The Gold Cabinet, chosen by Barbara Walker, Birmingham, and Jean Findlay, Birmingham, includes: Director, Bob Murray, Birmingham; Make-up, Pat Perreault, Charleston, S. C.; Writers: Jane Ingram, Sylacauga; Becky Broom, Goodwater; Bette Lee Stain, Nanuet, N. Y.

Business Manager: Katherine Morton, Pell City; Staging: Shirley Hill, Jasper; B. J. Vogel, Atlanta, Georgia; Linda Sparkman, Decatur; Music: Jimmie Stanton, Greensboro; Ferrel Kirk, Greensboro; Judy Harmon, West Blocton; Publicity: Bobby Harrison, Mobile; Art: Barbara Maul, Augusta, Georgia; Liz Edwards, Birmingham.

Other cabinet members are: Costumes: Barbara Lett, Eclectic; Bertha Masterson, Leighton; Typist: Jackie Inman, Decena; Lighting: Frances Benton, Bradenton, Florida; Lorna West, Mobile; Props: Lois Ann Ray, Bessemer.

Bass Drummer: Shirley Baker, Eufaula; Snare Drummer: Betty Baker, Eufaula; Cheerleaders: Judy Cain, Birmingham; Jo Veal, Birmingham; Shannon Throckmorton, Tusculumbia; and Jane Rice, Mobile.

The Purple Cabinet is composed of Leaders: Sue Swann of Morris and Jennie Cotney of Roanoke; Writers: Beckie Gantt, Andalusia; Sara Lou Berry, Huntsville; Mary Lois Timbes, Montrose; Director: Beckie Gantt.

Co-Director: Jo Anne Mynard, Enterprise; Artists: Barbara White, Blountsville; Gene Brymer,

Dora; Business Manager: Wanza Cauthen, Prattville.

Publicity: Gene Brymer; costumes: Elsie Snellgrove, New Brockton; Linda Johnson, Clayton; Properties: Naomi Scott, Birmingham; Lighting: Bettie LeGrand, Birmingham; Martha Stephens, Mobile.

Staging: Frances Yarbrough, Prattville; Margery Stephens, Mobile; Make-up: Ann Riley, Greenville; Typist: Hazel Cook, Chickasaw; Choreographer: Karen Mullins, Enterprise.

Others of the cabinet are: Music: Mary Katherine Hicks, Montevallo; Jann Carter, Cullman; Drummers: Margaret Robbins, Goodwater; Cheerleaders: Joyce Willis, Childersburg; Marlene Rowell, Selma; Harriet Landers, Roanoke; and Beckie Ros, Mobile.

College Policies On Sports Letters Now In Effect

The Alabama College Athletic Committee met December 3, 1958, to discuss and make recommendations pertaining to policy of Athletic Awards. These recommended policies were sent to Dr. Howard Phillips were approved on January 5, 1959.

Of these policies adopted, one in particular will be of interest to the student body of the college:

"That no student of the Alabama College student body be allowed to wear another school or college 'letter' on our campus and that only 'A' Club members be allowed to wear our College Letter."

This ruling is already in effect and includes letters of any type, such as high school letters or those from other colleges. The latter refers, particularly, to girls who may be wearing their boy friend's college sweater.

Also it is noted that ONLY "A" Club members are allowed to wear our College letter.

Former "Leaders" Return For Homecoming Festivities

College Night and Homecoming Day, February 19-21, are drawing alumni back to their Alma Mater from both far and near. They are coming from as far as New York and Minnesota to as near as Georgia.

Alumni who are now teaching high school will bring their students on Thursday night to see the Purple and Gold Productions.

Several old Purple and Gold leaders are coming for College Night. Purples are Meg Meadows, assistant leader '56, and Carolyn Barton Jones, assistant leader '58. Golds returning are Barbara Andrews Springfield, Gold leader '49; June Segler Schipper, leader '53, and Pat Howe, assistant leader '53; Barbara Baker, leader '57; and Andy Berry, Gold assistant '58.

Saturday, February 21, is Homecoming Day at Alabama College. Alumni Sons will act as

pages and will drive all alumni around the campus to point out the changes that have taken place over the years.

At 10 a.m. the Alumni Executive Board will hold a meeting in Reynolds Hall. At 11 a.m. all alumni will attend the annual business meeting.

A luncheon will be served at 12:30 in Main Dining Hall. At this luncheon the most outstanding graduate of Alabama College will be honored. Receiving this honor will be Miss Lillian Gatchell, Dean of Girls of Philips High School of Birmingham. She will make the main speech and will be presented with a sterling silver trophy with her name and class imprinted.

In the afternoon from 4 until 5:30, a tea, at which Alumni Daughters will serve, will be held in Reynolds Foyer. All alumni are invited to this tea.



STEVEN HUFFSTUTLER

Red Cross Leader Talks To Students On Job Openings

Miss Hazel Breland, personnel representative from Red Cross area headquarters in Atlanta, will be on campus February 16-17 to discuss employment opportunities offered by Red Cross.

Miss Breland will speak to classes in the Physical Education and Sociology departments and at a meeting of the Sociology Club Monday night, February 16.

Students desiring a personal interview are urged to contact either Dr. Finger at the field house or Mrs. Whatley in the Social Science Building.

The American Red Cross presents vast opportunities for men and women both in the United States and overseas as social workers, recreation directors, and many other positions. A sociology or P.E. major is not required but is desirable if possible.



COKE BREAK TIME—For these seniors, Bertha Masterson, who is living in the Home Management House, Pat Perreault, Case Worker, and Hazel Cook, Practice Teacher, it's time to compare notes on their work.

Seniors Learn On The Job Training In Their Final College Semester

"Experience is the best teacher" is the motto of a number of seniors who are having on the job training during the last semester of their final year at Alabama College.

Some seniors are seeking this experience in the field of social work, teaching, and home econo-

Steve Huffstutler Fills News Director's Post

Steven Huffstutler, Birmingham, took over as director of the Alabama College News Bureau February 1.

Huffstutler was graduated from Alabama Polytechnic Institute in 1957. He comes to Alabama College from Florida State University where he was a graduate assistant in the speech department.

After graduating from API he worked with the United Press International in Atlanta and Birmingham, and later with the Jefferson County Sheriff's office.

At API he was sports editor of the student newspaper and worked with the Alabama Educational Television Network. While at Florida State he was assistant coach of the varsity debate squad.

Interviews and discussions are not limited to seniors and if there are any underclassmen who may be interested or just want to know what Red Cross is all about, Miss Breland will be glad to talk with them.

Band To Participate On Spring Program

The Alabama College Band is starting off the new semester with big strides. Band is now offered for credit. One hour credit is given for a two hour rehearsal once a week. It is hoped that with this, quality can be increased.

Plans have been made by the band to present part of a convocation program with the School of Music this spring.

New instruments and music are being purchased and new members are invited.

College Night Is Here!

Huffstutler replaces Ed Ewing as director of the college's news bureau. Ewing has been news director for the past 18 months.

Ewing is a graduate of the University of Alabama with a major in journalism. He was secretary-treasurer of the student government association.

He served two years in the United States Army. His last six months of service were as public relations officer of XVIII Airborne Corps Artillery at Fort Bragg, N. C.

Ewing will assume the duties of vice-president of Shelby County Advertising Corporation, and program director of Radio Station WBYE on February 1. A native of Wilton, he now makes his home in Montevallo.

Library Receives Grant Of \$500

Alabama College's library has been awarded a \$500 grant from the United States Steel Corporation. This grant to the American Library Association was obtained by presenting a project showing the most needed area of the library.

The American colleges and universities which offer four year undergraduate programs were eligible for the grants. In this fourth annual distribution there were three hundred applications. Seventy-six grants were awarded, seventeen of which were for science materials.

Three colleges in Alabama were given awards. Howard College received a grant of \$500 and Athens College received \$300 along with the Alabama College \$500 grant.

Alabama College's application was made in an effort to build up the library in the area of physics. This need was realized upon the creation of the new Physics and Mathematics department.

Dr. D. R. McMillan, chairman of the Physics and Mathematics department, has presented Alabama College library with bound volumes of the PHYSICS ABSTRACT from 1921 to date.

The PHYSICS ABSTRACT serves more or less as an index to the back files of periodicals which will be bought with funds from the grant.

Applicants Accepted In European Seminar

Students who have been screened and accepted for the European Seminar are as follows: Judy Albright, Sara Lou Berry, Nelson Forbes, Rebecca Gantt, Arthur Garrett, Emily Greene.

Marion Greene, Pat Herrod, Jade Higgins, Margie Lane, Marlene McBee, Prudence Menzies, Bob Murray, and Thelma Myers.

The final program for the first European Seminar has been outlined and will begin June 14.

allotting of old age pensions and aid to dependent children.

Practice Teachers

Launching their teaching careers are twenty-five senior students. Members of this group are working at the elementary and high school learning some tricks of the teaching trade.

Carolyn Mauldin, Faye Thom-

(Continued on Page 6)

What Is College Night?

Defense or condemnation of any topic, even College Night, must be preceded by a defining of terms. However College Night cannot be truly defined as simply as "College Night is three performances of two original productions by the student body of Alabama College." Such a literal definition omits the very essence of College Night and limits argument to the objective artistic evaluation.

As Miss Meroney has said, "I do not agree that the validity of College Night rests primarily or even secondly upon its achievement as a work of art." Therefore, the only fair definition would have to include such things as the spirit of the student body and the benefit gained from it. Thus it seems that the defining and defense of College Night merge so that what it accomplishes, it is. With this understanding, if what College Night accomplishes is worthwhile, then College Night is undeniably worthwhile.

Student Spirit

The spirit of the students has been mentioned. It is impossible for anyone who has not experienced the fervor and enthusiasm at a side meeting or a pep rally and the unity of working and giving all on crews to understand the spirit of College Night. The excitement can be gained in no other way than by sharing, loving, and producing the same thing. The students work and give a part of themselves, a part which combines with other parts from other students to result in College Night.

Direction of Expression

It gives talent a direction of expression. College Night puts the classroom learning to the practical test. Can the future composer-director create and put into effect a piece of music? College Night gives him the opportunity to see. Moreover, demands are made on all levels, for the very gifted fill the demanding leadership and inspirational positions and the average student, the amateur with interest and a little talent, performs the lesser jobs. There is room for all, no matter what the talent. For example, for those of no artistic talent, encouragement, cheering, and interest are their contributions.

Leadership Training

A third point is the aspect of leadership training. Not only are friendships made for leadership, but the abilities and talents are uncovered by demand. The once hidden potential leaderships and the known abilities are given exercise. The leaders of student activities so trained are much better prepared for responsible citizenship and leadership in their various communities. Awareness of responsibility and acceptance of responsibility are indispensable elements in the development of innate leadership abilities. College Night certainly does train leaders and followers too, for that matter.

In summary, College Night is an amalgamation of the spirit of every student concerned. It is the exercise of student talent and training. It is leadership training. It is good will and publicity. To support College Night is to endorse these; to attack it is to condemn them.

—Kitty Stansell

From The President's Desk

Providing opportunities for the acquisition of true knowledge by faculty and students should be recognized as the primary objective of an institution of higher learning. The opportunities should be extensive, and they should be established on a basis of genuine quality. To meet or fulfill this objective, a basically sound program of education requires colleges to develop many subsidiary programs.



Wholesome extracurricular activities for students and officially organized student activities represent important facets of a total educational program.

It is highly essential for a college to establish, foster and support student activities. Alabama College has been characterized by an attractive and sound program of Student Government Association sponsored programs. There is great need, however, for continued emphasis on, and appreciably strengthening of these activities.

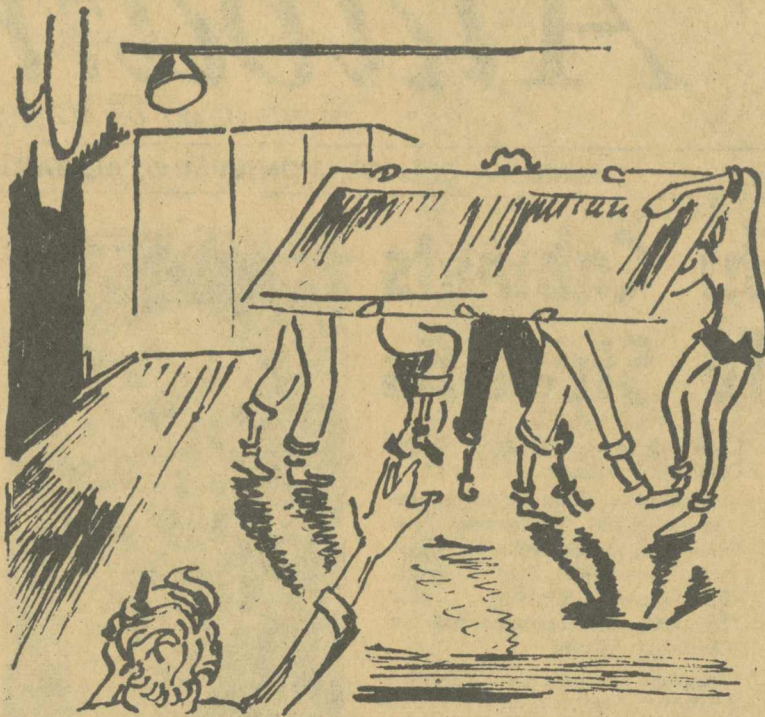
The student activities budget has been appreciably increased, even with the knowledge of proration and considerable reduction in the total budget, and strong moral support has been clearly apparent to all SGA officers.

It is especially disturbing to discover that the response by students generally has been poor, because the success of student activities on a campus resides specifically within the student body. If a good program is developed by the students, it will receive adequate support.

It is my understanding that there is a real possibility that student publications will disappear at Alabama College, simply on the basis of a lack of student interest, conjoined with failure on the part of students to be willing to work in these areas of activity. In my opinion, it would be tragic to lose any of these important student-operated activities.

During the year, it has been clearly demonstrated that much enthusiasm and spirit could be "whomped up" in a negative manner. I am absolutely sure that this same amount of spirit and enthusiasm can be engendered in a positive manner, if the students on the campus really understand the situation. Certainly one of our greatest needs at Alabama College is the elimination of the "I'm 'agin' everything" attitudes, or what I often refer to as "conscientious objectors." Continue to be critical, but direct your evaluation and criticism toward positive action.

Halt! Who Goes There?



(Taken from February 5, 1954, Alabamian)

Student Christian Association

Your Student Government

The Student Christian Association is one of the active student service organizations on campus. The S.C.A., which was known as the YWCA prior to the coeducation of Alabama College, is founded upon four Christian purposes.

One is to bring the impact of the Christian faith into the intellectual life of the campus. A second is to help develop mature Christian faith in students. Moreover, Christian citizenship training is a goal. The fourth is to make students responsible participants in religion and religious activities through the added spark of faith. In an effort to achieve these goals, the S.C.A. follows a varied program of activities.

Chief among these activities are Religious Emphasis Week, Big Brother-Little Brother and Big Sister-Little Sister activities, support of the W.U.S., and various other projects.

Religious Emphasis Week features special convocations and religious discussion groups in an effort to generate religious stimulation.

Freshmen and newcomers are adopted and made welcome at the beginning of each year through the Big Brother-Little Brother, Big Sister-Little Sister activities. Personal contacts and a party are featured.

W.U.S. (World University Service) is a world-wide organization that aids college students and universities. The S.C.A. sponsors it on this campus.

Service projects undertaken range from the Christmas Servants' Party to the lemonade stand for freshmen during orientation. Community projects pursued include supplying food and clothing for underprivileged families.

The responsibility for planning and executing these activities and the four purposes falls to the S.C.A. executive council and the associated Religious Council. The executive council is elected by popular vote in the annual S.G.A. elections.

Notice Next Issue!

In recent weeks there has been some discussion among students concerning the health and infirmity services on the campus.

In the next issue of The Alabamian, this issue will be discussed in the article "From the President's Desk."

A special committee has been set up to study this matter. It has also been discussed with the Administrative Council and the Board of Trustees.

For information concerning this situation, be sure to read about it in the February 21 edition of The Alabamian.

TOWER TALKS

Well, here I stand just shivering in this "cool" weather and that ice on my side just doesn't help much. I gave a great sigh of relief to see those finals over last



week. I know that all of you came out fine. Now as I look over toward the Post Office, I see quite a bit of buzzing around. Could it be because grades came out?

Those are all over now, and here we are already in the middle of College Night. Don't know whether I will be Purple or Gold. Maybe I had just better remain Gople. But good luck to both sides, and may the best side win.

Congratulations are in order to my staff. Have you seen the new edition of The Tower? I think it's the best yet. It shows what we really can do if we will but set our minds to it.

I was sad to hear that The Alabamian may not be published after the March edition. Come on now, you don't want the student publications to die! Support them and really make them the voice of the students.

Again, I want to welcome the new students who joined us this semester. Alabama College is a wonderful "second home" to those of us who have been here through the years.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor and Students:

I would like to thank the students of Alabama College for their cooperation with the News Bureau during the past 18 months. It has been a pleasure to work with you.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish for you, collectively and individually, a most happy and successful future.

Sincerely,
ED EWING

Jurisdiction Correction

The following paragraph should be added to paragraph two of the Jurisdiction change as printed in the last Alabamian.

(b) or when she is signed out for an overnight out of town absence with parental permission (specific or standing) under the chaperonage of a responsible hostess. Upon her return to Montevallo, a student is again under college jurisdiction and is expected to sign in immediately.

FUTURE FEATURES

February 10—Birmingham Concert Series. Rita Streich.

February 12-14—Alabama Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

February 14—Purple-Gold Party.

February 17—Birmingham Artists Series. Robert Shaw Chorale and Concert Orchestra.

February 19-21—College Night and Homecoming activities.

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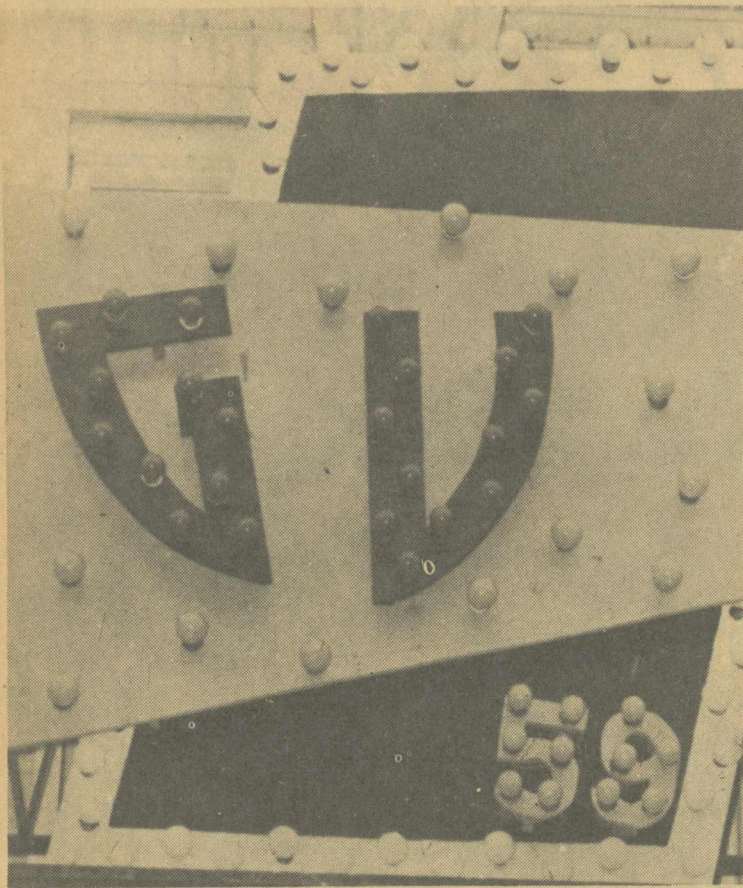


Left to right, first row: Betty Baker, Jane Rice, Jean Findlay, Barbara Walker, Judy Cain, Jo Veal, Shirley Baker. Second row: Ferrel Kirk, Bertha Masterson, Shirley Hill, Linda Sparkman, Judy Harmon, B. J. Vogel, Gene McCutchen, Barbara Maul, Liz Edwards, Katherine Morton. Third row: Lois Ann Ray, Frances Benton, Bettilee Stain, Bob Murray, Becky Broom, Jane Ingram, Jimmy Stanton, Barbara Lett, Jackie Inman, Pat Perreault, Bobby Harrison.

Purple Cabinet, 1959



Left to right, first row: Pat Herrod, Marlene Rowell, Becky Ros, Jennie Cotney, Sue Swann, Harriett Landers, Joyce Willis, Margaret Robbins. Second row: Elsie Snellgrove, Karen Mullins, Frances Yarbrough, Barbara White, Janera Carter, Mary Katherine Hicks, Bettie LeGrande, Naomi Scott, Hazel Cook. Third row: Margie Stevens, Mary Lois Timbes, Jo Anne Mynard, Beckie Gantt, Gene Brymer, Sara Jeter, Linda Johnson, Martha Stevens, Ann Riley, Wanza Cauthen, Sara Lou Berry.



FIRST COLLEGE NIGHT SIGN—This Gold shield, the first sign put up this year, depicts a Gold Victory and decorates Hanson Hall.

First Semester Dean's List Announced This Past Week

Announcement was made this week of the 1958-59 first semester Dean's List. In order to make the first honor roll a student must have an average of 2.50 to 2.99. Second honors includes students with a 2.0 to 2.49 average for the semester.

All A Record

Those students making all A's were Sue Chumley, Bonnie Henley, Mary Ethel Horne, Nancy McCary, Bruce McClanahan, Mary Virginia Martin, Truitt Moore, Neal Shirley, Kitty Stansell, Marvin Stephens, Patty Talley.

First Honors

Listed on the first honor roll are: Timothy Blackmon, Helen Brasfield, Rebecca Broom, Martha Campbell, Mary Helen Capell, Peggy Capell, Jeanette Carden, Lola Christianson, Billie Sue Connally, Ellen Cook, Charlotte Daugherty, Judith Davis, Dennie Elliott, Arthur Garrett.

Mary Ellen Grant, William Hall, Irma Harrell, Rosalie Hart, Elizabeth Ann Herring, Polly Holliday, Jane Ingram, Margaret Jeffres, Sara Jeter, Charles Jones, Paul Kiparsky, Charles Levandoski, Beth Lusk, Jessie Mae Lyles.

Carolyn Moody, Susan Murphree, Ann Nabors, Jeannette Peel, Sylvia Pound, Joanne Rogers, John Scott, Elsie Snellgrove, Sharon Summers, Peggy Thompson, Albert Van Cleave, Barbara Jean Walker, Mary Katharine Wilson.

Second Honors

On the second honor roll are: Charles Adams, Judy Albright, Audrey Allen, Christiane Angele, Elizabeth Autry, Laura Bailey, Viva Dane Barnette, Zoe Baum, Charles Bence, Sara Lou Berry, Jo Borland, Mavis Bridges, Mary Ellen Bruhn, Priscilla Bryant, June Capell, Jan Carter.

Flora Clark, Beulah Collins, Verna Cook, Jennie Cotney, Pattie Crawford, Roma Creel, Louise Daniels, Ann DeCoudres, Joseph Denham, Frances Dewitt, Carolyn Dunkin, Ted Fuller, Jane Graham, Laura Gray, Johnnie Gross, Margaret Sue Harden.

Martha Hardy, Virginia Henry, Mary Katherine Hicks, Jade Higgins, Barbara Highsmith, Barbara Hopkins, Carl Horne, Lynda Hudson, Jackie Inman, Pat Kelly, Alice Ketchum, Mary Kidd, Lewis Knowles.

Carolyn Kornegay, Laura La-

Borde, Tracy Latham, Carolyn Lewis, Betty Long, Dane Lowery, Patsy McAliley, Gene McCutchen, Jeanette McDonald, Carolyn McInnis, Jacquelyn Martin, Rebecca Martin.

Pat Mashburn, Wanda Meadows, Pru Menzies, Joanne Mink, Roy Moor, Billie Moore, Margaret Ann Morgan, Eugenia Morris, Linda Mount, Jo Anne Mynard, Barbara

College Night Rules Revised By Senate

The student Senate recommended that several changes be made in the College Night regulations. It is felt that these changes will facilitate work in several departments of production and provide for better selection of leaders and committees.

The following changes were recommended by the Senate.

College Theatre

The College Theatre was added to the list of sources from which the leaders and president of the Student Government Association shall get lists of students with special abilities.

Point System

The College Night point system will be revised so that each production will be given points on its attributes and therefore, not require each area of the productions to be rated equally.

It was decided that judges be selected from within the state of Alabama.

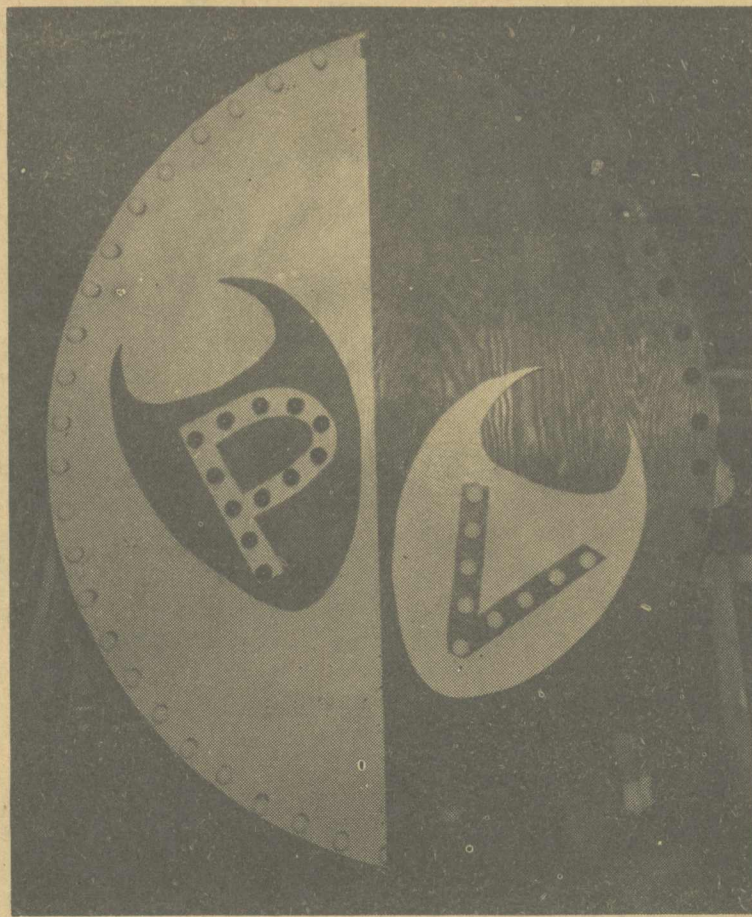
It was also suggested that the method of nominating candidates for leaders and assistant leaders be studied before nominations ('59-'60) for future College Nights.

Newton, Laura Norris, Celeste Parker, Ann Patterson, Joyce Posner, Ann Ratliff, Jane Rice.

Mary Ann Scott, Johnnie Seale, Dennis Sheppard, Etta Lou Shipp, Mary Louise Simms, Linda Sparkman, Ronald Smith, George Spuhler, Shirley Stabler, Margie Stallworth, Leila Stewart, Hertha Stone, Lois Strickland.

Carolyn Stroup, Pam Sumner, Sue Swann, Lorna Teany, Faye Thomas, Faye Thornhill, Mary Thornton, Jo Traywick, Wynette Turner, Joe Van Matre, Jo Veal, Jane Veneable, Elizabeth Waites.

Tommie Lou Waldrop, Ira Walker, Lena Walton, Don Walton, Catherine Wilmer, Janice Wood, John Fred Wood.



PURPLE VICTORY SIGN—Representing the Purple side is their shield and password—P.V.

Notes From The Music Department

The annual production of an opera by the School of Music will take place this year on March 12 during the Honor Scholarship program.

Instead of one opera there will be two short operas. **SUNDAY EXCURSION** by Sundgaard and Wilder will be sung by Judy Harmon, Linda Mims, Ed Cooper, Vance Bush, and Ned Lowery. The pianist will be Mary Katherine Hicks.

The cast of **SLOW DUSK**, a musical play by Carlisle Floyd, includes Sue Bedgood, Charlotte McKinney, Randall Veazey, and Dennis Sheppard; the pianist is Deny Elliott.

Many exciting events in the art world take place during the coming weeks in Birmingham.

"Annie Get Your Gun", the Town and Gown presentation of the Broadway musical, opened Monday, Feb. 2, and will run through the Saturday matinee, Feb. 7, at the Clark Theatre.

February 10, at the Temple Theatre, the Birmingham Symphony will present another gala concert. The program includes Beethoven's "9th (Choral) Symphony" featuring Rita Striech and the Birmingham Civic Choral directed by Hugh Thomas.

On February 17, the famous "Robert Shaw Choral" as part of the Birmingham Music Club Series will be presented at the Municipal Auditorium.

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CHURCH CHIMES

The Baptist Student Union seeks to meet the needs of every student through church organizations, Bible studies, mission projects, social activities, and B.S.U. conventions and retreats.

Future events include the Bible discussion groups held every Tuesday morning at 6:45.

Newman Club

The Newman Club, an organization for Catholic students, is concerned with the spiritual development and interests of its members.

Activities for the future will be discussed at the meeting February 9. The Newman Club meets every other Monday night in the church hall at 7:30. It is sponsored by Mr. Roy Montgomery.

Church of Christ

At the regular Sunday School Bible Class, members have been studying the book of First Corinthians. This past month, the men college students have been in charge of Sunday night Church Programs.

Mr. Kenneth Reed, of the University of Alabama, teaches Bible study each Thursday night at 7:00. In this study, he is using visual aids.

Canterbury Club

Canterbury Association, one of a group of organizations within the Episcopal Church, is directed by Reverend Josiah Ware, Jr.

The organization meets every first and third Sunday at 6:45 and at 6:00 every second and fourth Sunday. It also sponsors Vesper Services Monday through Friday at 5:30. The programs include guest speakers and the reading of plays.

Wesley Fellowship

Wesley Fellowship members are attending the Methodist Student Movement Conference at Living-

ston State College this week end. Due to College Night activities, Wesley will not meet on Wednesday nights during February. The Wesley class continues to meet Sunday mornings.

Each Sunday evening at 6:45 Wesley continues its study of religious of the world using the series of films by Life magazine.

Westminster Fellowship

Westminster Fellowship is the Presbyterian Youth group. The student Sunday School class is studying the book of Colossians. The topic for the next two Sunday night programs will be on the rise of the Presbyterian Church in the South.

The program includes Sunday School at 9:45, Church services at 11:00, and Westminster Fellowship every Sunday night at 7:30.

Unitarian Fellowship

The Liberal Fellowship of Montevallo (Unitarian) meets Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Scout Hut adjacent to the campus. All persons are invited to attend and participate in discussions. No formal requirements of faith exist either for members or visitors.

Programs consist of talks by members, guest speakers, taped sermons, and general discussions. Sunday February 8: The Right to Disbelieve.

Oak Ridge Speaker Will Visit Campus

Plans for the February meeting of the Biology Club have been announced. Guest speaker will be Mary Ellis Gaudin from Oak Ridge. As part of the Oak Ridge Series, she will speak on the Effects of Radiation on Living Cells.

The Biology Club from Howard College, Birmingham, has also been invited to attend this meeting.

The meeting will be held at the regular meeting time, and further announcements will be made. All students are invited to attend.



ANOTHER PURPLE AND GOLD BATTLE—Both Leo and Moo Moo would like to trap attractive Roma Creel, this month's Campus Queen, as part of their 1959 victory. This captivating senior is actually partial to Moo Moo, but even Leo warms up to her charming personality.

Campus Queen

May we introduce Roma Creel, The Alabamian's choice for Campus Queen. Roma, 5' 4" tall, is a brown-eyed brunette from Birmingham and a Business Education major who spends most of her time these days at the high school practice teaching.

Despite the long walk over there, she says she really enjoys teaching typing and shorthand.

Roma is at the present time S.G.A. treasurer and a member of the Business Administration Club.

Her likes include popular music and horseback riding, however, she doesn't have much time for the latter. Her secret desire is to go to Rome, Italy.

the Brussels World's Fair. Another unique event was a program in the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre in Stratford-upon-Avon. SETAF presented the choir in the ancient Roman Theatre in Verona. The Army sponsored performances in the Heidelberg Castle and in the Episcopal Cathedral in Paris. The ensemble also sang at the American Cemetery in Luxembourg, and to the Iron Curtain countries on Radio Free Europe. Outdoor concerts in Lausanne, Nice, Como, and London were attended by audiences of 4,000 to 12,000 persons.

Music critic of the Rhein-Neckar Zeitung, Heidelberg, wrote, "Dr. Dash has created an extraordinary instrument with which he can earn here in Europe top honors for his country."

Directed by Dr. James Allan Dash, the chorus membership has included singers from every one of the 49 states in its three years existence. Any talented choral singer is eligible for membership. Interested persons may write to the All-America Chorus office at 325 N. Charles Street, Baltimore 1, Md., for full information and application forms.

All-America Chorus To Tour Ten European Countries

The All-America Chorus will undertake its fourth annual goodwill concert tour of Europe this summer. Leaving New York June 30, the 100 voice mixed chorus will visit 30 cities in 10 countries before returning to America late in August.

The purpose of the tour is to help build friendlier relations with the countries visited on a person-

to-person level. As in the past, the concerts abroad will be sponsored by American Embassies and Consulates, U.S. Information Service Agencies, Army and Air Force Entertainment Divisions, and various local civic and cultural organizations.

High points of last year's visit was a performance before 5,000 people in the American pavillion at

Do You Think for Yourself? (ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS AND FIND OUT!*)



1. If you were about to buy an automobile, would you (A) study the road-test reports in the magazines, or (B) select the car that looks best to you?

A ☐ B ☐



2. When confronted with a menu with lots of foreign terms, do you (A) ask what is in each dish, or (B) accept the waiter's recommendation?

A ☐ B ☐



3. When invited to play an unfamiliar game, do you (A) refuse to play until you fully understand the rules, or (B) pick up the rules as you go along?

A ☐ B ☐



4. When invited to a party, do you (A) accept, hoping to enjoy yourself no matter who attends, or (B) try to learn who will be there before accepting?

A ☐ B ☐



5. In buying a radio, would you be influenced more by (A) low price, or (B) product features despite a slightly higher price?

A ☐ B ☐



6. When deciding on what movie to see, do you usually prefer films that (A) are gay and diverting, or (B) have a social message?

A ☐ B ☐



7. When you run into a foreign phrase in a textbook, do you first (A) head for a dictionary to find the meaning, or (B) try to dope out the meaning yourself?

A ☐ B ☐



8. When reading the paper, do you (A) catch yourself concentrating on scandal stories, or (B) spend your time on news and editorial matter?

A ☐ B ☐

9. In choosing a filter cigarette, (A) are you easily swayed by bold claims, or (B) do you think for yourself and stick by your decision?

A ☐ B ☐

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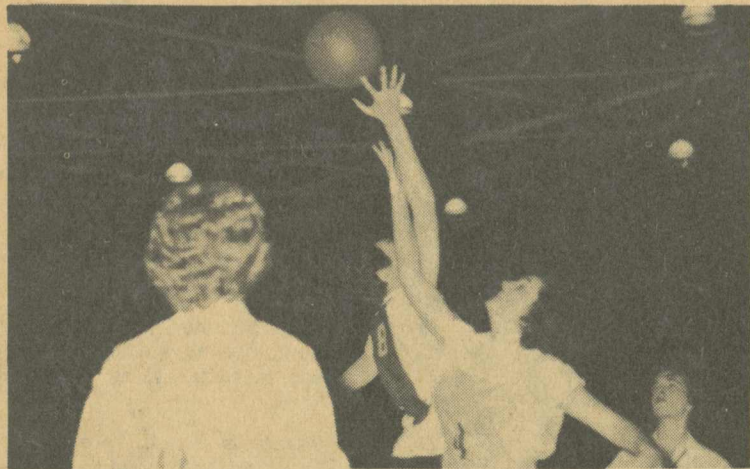
*If you checked (A) on three out of the first four questions, and (B) on four out of the last five . . . you really think for yourself!

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Priscilla Bryant and "Dozier" Turner struggle for jump-ball as referee Jane Rice and teammate Barbara Newton step back.

Hanson Tromps All Stars To Win Championship

Hanson I tromped the All-Stars 54-21 to capture the championship crown on campus in basketball.

In the first game the Hanson team got off to a slow start, but quickly picked up after the first two minutes. Coming up from behind, Hanson took a lead that was never questioned throughout the whole game.

In the second quarter Jo DeVauhn, displaying great distance shooting, and Laura Bailey and Kelly making fast drives into the basket, sparked the Hanson team on to victory. Guards Shirley Baker and Barbara Newton also made a good show, giving the All-Stars a good deal of trouble, with almost constant intercepting of the ball. However, Shorty Hill, of the All-Stars, gave the Sophomores a great amount of competition with her fast drives into the net and with her one-arm shots that dropped neatly into the basket. At the half the score stood at 25-12.

On throughout the third quarter, play was like that of the two previous quarters, with Hanson making a great leap forward, and raising the score to 43-15.

The second game played followed almost the same pattern. The All-Stars in this game were much better, however, in offense, being sparked by two outstanding forwards, Juanita Johnson and Shorty Hill. At times the Hanson team was almost powerless to stop the driving force of these two. However, the All-Stars were plagued with fouls again and paid a high price.

Members of the champion team, Hanson were: forwards, Pat Kelly, Laura Bailey, Jo DeVauhn; guards, Mary Ann Wamick, Shirley Baker and Barbara Newton.

Players for the All-Stars were: Joline Turner, Juanita Johnson, Priscilla Patterson, Judy Gunnin, Joan Murphree, Shorty Hill,

Christner Goodin, Judy Cain, Mary Ellen Bruhn, Jane Ingram, Linda Sparkman, Joyce Willis, Jo Veal, Betty LeGrande, Jeanette Edwards, Mable Austin, Barbara Turner, Sue Swann, Lorna West, and Barbara Evans.

On March 2

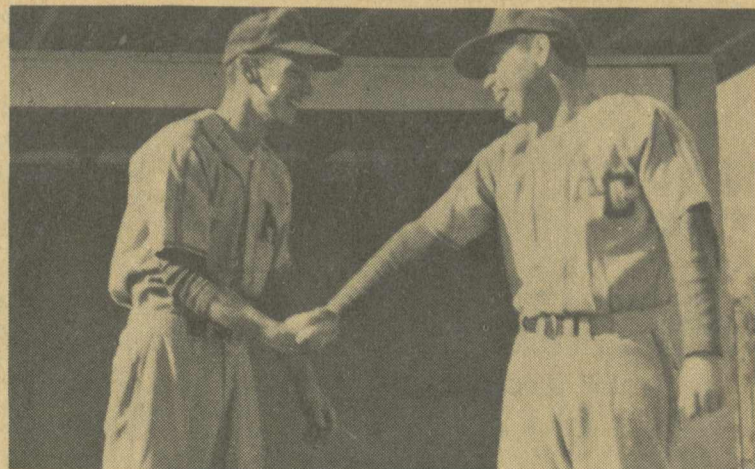
Season Opens In Baseball

With baseball season just around the corner we look back with fond memories on our first intercollegiate baseball year. Added to this was the completion of a well-groomed ball park.

Although the team was disappointed at its won-lost record, prospects for the 1959 season look much brighter. Coach Frank Lightfoot has a nucleus of nine lettermen to build his team around. He also expects at least twenty-five newcomers to turn out when practice officially begins.

The nine returning lettermen: Don Jacks, Jerry Fulford, Roy Jones, Ed Piper, Neal Shirley, Warren Scott, Joe Short, George Desmond and Dick Talty are counted on heavily.

Several newcomers that should add to the team's strength include, Don Miller, Charlie Webster, Bill Cotton, Ralph Deason, Ralph Thrasher, Foozy Findley and Bobby Workman.



Wishing each other luck for the baseball season are the 1958 team captains Donnie Jacks, hard hitting left fielder, and slick fielding second sacker, Jerry Fulford.

Seniors Learn On The Job Training

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as, Lucille Moor, Joan Black, Betty Cofer, Mrs. Gladys Pruette, and Doris McKinney are working in the elementary school.

Teaching at the Montevallo High School as their practice teaching are: Marlene McBee, Jessie Mae Lyles, Nancy McCary, Lewellyn Thomas, Shirley Langford, Nadine Sexton, John Shuttlesworth, Sue Swann, Barbara Turner, Lorna

West, Mimi Findley. Others teaching at the high school are: Margaret Ann Morgan, M. T. Wright, Lena Cook, Hazel Cook, Roma Creel, Alice Ketchum, and Laura Norris.

Home Management House
Bertha Masterson, Judy Daniels, and Peggy Stewart are now living at the home management house. Here they are learning about running a home through the actual experience of doing so.

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Swimming Team Practice To Resume

by Earl Lewis

The fourteen man Alabama College Swimming and Diving team resumed its pre-season practice schedule last Monday afternoon under the direction of Coach Floyd Anderson after a ten day lay off due to final exams.

Coach Anderson has announced that he has hopes of a three meet schedule for the latter part of February and the first two weeks of March. The exact dates and the opponents are not yet official.

The team roster as it read last Monday is as follows: Earl Lewis, Jim Eddins, Doss Powell, Phil Savino, George Sphuler, Bill Coleman, Bobby Workman, Buddy Greg, Ron Smith, David Hayes, Larry King, Roy Messer, Harry Childs, and Jack Doherty.



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Golds Win College Night Victory

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BARBARA WALKER

Leader Rejoices Over Final Choice

"I had that feeling all along", said Barbara Walker, Gold Leader, when the decision that the Golds had won was announced. In answer to why she had that feeling Barbara replied: "Because this '59 we've had the most pep, enthusiasm, and hard work ever".

She agrees with many of the students as to the value of College Night in that it promotes student creativity, teamwork, and the joy of striving for a goal well worth the effort.

But to the leader, Barbara says that College Night has meant more. It has meant a lot of spirit and hard work with a lot of wonderful people.

As advice to the leader in future College Night programs, Barbara gives this helpful hint, "Pick the best crew, and you'll have it made".



GOLD SPIRIT made this lively scene from the winning production.

"The Right Or Left Of N. B. Tween" Is Top Production, Judges Decide

The decision of the judges is in favor of the Golds. With this announcement by Neal Shirley, SGA president, the 1959 College Night was brought to a close. Thus ended the many hours of work, anxiety and hopes that went into the winning production.

Now reigns only sublime happiness for the victorious Golds.

Production

The production entitled "The Right or Left of N.B. Tween" or

the "Undivine Comedy" was written by Bettilee Stain, Jane Ingram, Rebecca Broom and was directed by Bob Murray and Rebecca Broom.

The story involved the soul of one N. B. Tween whose accidental death found him at a time in his life where he had been neither good enough to get into heaven nor bad enough to get into Hell.

It was the responsibility of the Eternal Conductor to place the soul during the specified "Eternity" or Tween would begin to age and be subject to "hunger, pain, thirst, mental strain, and temptations".

During this "Eternity" several souls arrived and were placed by the overworked conductor. After various attempts to place Tween's soul, Saint Peter resorted to a general assembly to "find a solution to the problem. For a soul is a soul and a soul belongs."

belongs."

At the general assembly Tween was bequeathed to the overworked conductor as an assistant just as the gong sounded ending "Eternity".

Characters

Leading parts were taken by Clyde Hoffman as the Eternal Conductor, Harry Burkett as N. B. Tween, Roy Hilton as Saint Peter, and Jimmy Cartee as the Bookie.

Other members of the cast and their parts were Larry Simpson, Timothy; Bobby Harrison, the Henchman; Leslie Duray, Gangster; Mimi Jenkins, Gun Moll; Terry Langford, Grandmother D.; Monroe Creel, Playboy; Adah Troup, Comedian; and Bill Ward, Scientist.

Playing the parts of angels were Janice Wood, Florence Wentz, and Linda Lee Johnson. Devils were played by Jimmy Stanton, Faye Cotton, and Gene McCutchen.

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GOLD



JEAN FINDLAY

Assistant Leader Had Faith In Leo

"With the Gold side behind us, how could we help but win?" were the first words of Jean Findlay, Gold Assistant Leader, when the decision of the judges was in favor of the Golds.

"College Night," Jean added, "gave hard work in addition to the opportunity for new friendships. It also presented working under strained conditions—yet they all came out smiling all the way."

When asked if she had any advice to pass on to future assistant leaders, Jean replied. "In picking cabinet members, it's not always the Jack-of-all-trades, but pick those who can get along and make others have a good and enjoyable College Night."

Speech Instructor Receives Honor In Dedicatory Salute By Students

"It seems appropriate to dedicate the 1959 College Night to someone dedicated to College Night," said Neal Shirley, president of the Student Government,

in his opening dedicatory remarks before officially presenting Mrs. Willilee Trumbauer.

Each year College Night is dedicated to someone that the students wish to honor. Cabinets of each side make suggestions for this honor. Leaders of both sides, with the president of SGA, make the final decision.

Mrs. Trumbauer received her A.B. degree from Alabama College in 1925. Her M.A. was earned at Vanderbilt University. She has also done graduate work at Columbia University.

She is presently serving on the faculty of Alabama College in the speech department. She is also assistant director of the College Theatre.

For nine years she has served as chairman of the Faculty-Alumni Committee and co-chairman of Homecoming. Mrs. Trumbauer is married to Walter H. Trumbauer.



MRS. WILLILEE TRUMBAUER

Lillian Gatchell, Birmingham Is Feted As Alumna Of Year

by Mary Alice Hudgins

In 1916 Miss Lillian Gatchell entered Alabama College which was then known as Alabama Tech for Women. She came from Montgomery.

On campus, Miss Gatchell was very active in athletics. She was athletic director in 1917-18, captain of the basketball team 1917-18, and Sec.-Treas. of the Athletic Board 1918-19.

She held other positions ranging from class officer to cabinet member of the YWCA, Treasurer of Tutwiler Club, a literary society, to a member of the staff of the Technala, the yearbook.

Miss Gatchell graduated from Alabama College in 1920. She received an A.B. degree from the University of Alabama in 1922, and her M.A. degree from the

University in 1935.

At the University she was president of the Women's Council in 1922 and a member of Zeta Tau Alpha fraternity.

She was president of the Alabama College Alumnae Association for two years, and a member and chairman of the Alabama College Scholarship Committee.

She has held various offices of the Birmingham Teachers Association and also numerous positions with the Alabama Education Association. In addition, she is a life member of the National Education Association.

Miss Gatchell has taught school thirty-six years; one year at Repton, two at North Birmingham, and twenty-nine at Phillips High in Birmingham.

At Phillips High, she is a mem-

ber and chairman of the Schedule Committee and presently the Advisor to the girls.

In 1920 the following appeared in the Alabama College yearbook, the Technala:

"She is our best all around girl; She's everything a girl should be, She's a true, straightforward lass, She's a winner for her class—Our Gatchell!"



MISS LILLIAN GATCHELL

Senior Year Brings About Realization That Hard Labor Has Been Rewarding

(This editorial was printed in last year's annual College Night edition of the *Alabamian*. We are reprinting it because we felt it pictures the last College Night of each Senior Class.)

Palmer's blue curtains shimmer in the light of the spots. The SGA president steps out and begins the remarks.

It is then that it, this thing, really hits you. You sit back in your seat, awed by the very fact of it.

Or perhaps your shock doesn't come until time for the Finale. There you stand on Palmer stage with your crew, the crew you've worked with for these four College Nights now. There it gets you.

This is your last active College night.

Others sing the Alma Mater, but memories flood your view.

Remember the freshman year when you didn't mind one bit jumping out of bed at 5 a.m. to tear down to the carpenter shop to finish up those flats?

Or what about your sophomore year when the pep meetings really got going good and you could be a true part of them 'cause there wasn't a yell or a song you didn't know by then?

And then your junior year when you kinda got used to this thing called College Night, and that determined you to work all the harder, especially since you had a cabinet position?

But here's your senior year and my, haven't you lost a little of that solemn dignity as you have slung bulbs and hammered nails?

Yes, it's your College Night. You've held hands with it as you've both grown up. And now you're about to tell it farewell. It's good-bye to red paint under the fingernails and those thousands of snaps that always must be sewed on at the last minute. It's so long to the cage and the shouts of "Clear the pockets." You've concocted your last props and written your last script as far as College Night goes.

But you admit as the Alma Mater swells to its climax that it's all been a rewarding labor—even the adverse judges' decisions. They've played their parts in helping you grow up in this world of Alabama College.

Good-bye to College Night. You'll certainly be back next year and the next and many more after that, but next time you'll sit it out and see only the finished product.

But you'll know.

You'll know . . .

From The President's Desk

One of America's greatest and most acute problems resides in the attempt of this Nation to provide medical care for her citizens commensurate with other high standards of modern living. The situation has become increasingly worse, not only because of the increase in the general index in the cost of living and the increase in the operational cost of health facilities, but even more so, as a result of the tremendous costs of medical education, apparatus and equipment.



in the private practice of medicine.

In the development of institutions of higher learning in America, responsible administrators (Amherst Collegee 1856) decided that it would be wise to establish some type of health service for students, particularly in those institutions somewhat geographically isolated with regard to hospitals and medical centers. Today, some type of health service is provided in practically all colleges and universities, involving every conceivable type of program.

Many institutions have only two or three rooms isolated in a dormitory for infirmary purposes. Personnel consists of one nurse on twenty-four hour duty and a local physician who spends one to two hours per day at the infirmary. Some of the larger universities, especially those with medical school hospitals, have larger facilities with 24-hour nursing care and six scheduled hours of a physician's time. The program at Alabama College more closely resembles those available at the largest universities where medical school programs and hospitals exist.

Regardless of the situation that may exist on any one campus, colleges and universities should not develop a health program that extends beyond the point of providing a program of preventive medicine. It is neither incumbent upon, nor appropriate for, a college or university infirmary to practice medicine.

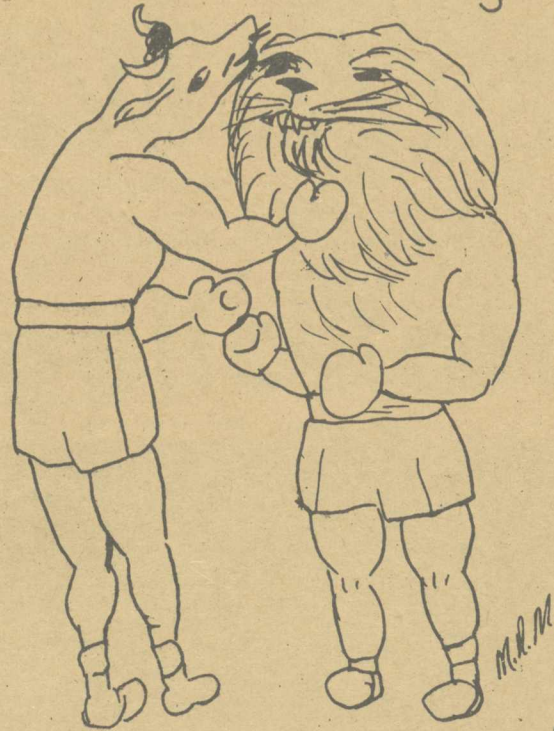
A college infirmary should provide treatment and relief for minor ailments; it should provide food, a bed and some nursing care for non-ambulatory patients; it should, insofar as possible, prevent outbreaks and epidemics of dread diseases; in conjunction with the department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, it should serve as a health education center; for serious illness or for illness that might become serious, it should serve as a referral office.

Unfortunately some people have the distorted opinion that a college infirmary is a combination clinic, hospital, sanatorium, sanitarium, rest-home, resort and corner drug store.

In order to develop a proper attitude toward the appropriate health services in a college or university, the "distorted opinion people" really

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Main Bout Tonight!



Moo Moo vs. Leo!

Beginning In 1920

College Night--Then And Now

by Patti Crawford

College Night has been greatly revolutionized since it was first started by the flapper girls back in 1920. For it has traveled from an annual stunt night affair held in the dining hall in honor of George Washington's birthday to an occasion which now attracts several thousand people from all over the United States.

On the 25th anniversary of Alabama College, the student body was divided into rival sides who chose Gold and Purple as their symbols. The productions still held in the dining hall were top secret until Monday night of the performance. The victorious Golds were presented an award by Student Government.

In 1925 extra excitement was added to College Night with its climax of the unveiling of Ramsay Hall. Each year these simple presentations grew until within a few years College Night was moved to Reynolds Hall. Soon Reynolds proved to be too small, and in 1930 College Night was moved to Palmer.

In 1932 the attendance was so great that it was decided plans should be made for two performance-the one on Thursday night for the faculty and the townspeople and one on Friday night for alumnae and relatives. At this time the price of College Night tickets was \$.25 for non-A.C. students and \$.10 for the secondary and elementary children.

The judges decisions were based on the following points: originality, presentation, number of people, audience response, and appropriateness.

During this same year there was controversy over the real importance of College Night. A poll was taken of the student's opinions and some of these were recorded in the *Alabamian*.

It is of interest to note some of the replies to the question: "What do you think of College Night?" Dr. O. C. Carmichael, President of A.C., said: "I think College Night is a unique performance amount the colleges of the country. It gives an opportunity for self expression."

Ula Perefoy, a junior in 1932, evidently did not share this sentiment for she replied: "I don't like College Night. I think it's just a lot of mob spirit."

During the war years College Night continued and at this time the Golds and Purples each had two productions which were called

stunt (comedy) and drama. Each of the productions had a so-called pep song and a slow song which the sides sang between curtains.

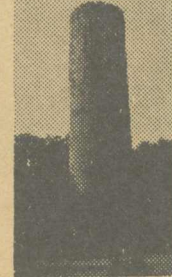
So the years have passed and College Night still remains with its constant changes. Now in 1959 College Night includes a three night public performances side signs for four dorms plus 39 years of tradition.

The production of College Night spirit is still the same. The yelling, spine-tingling suspense while waiting for the judges decision, the desire to have the folks all here when "their child" makes his brief appearance on the stage, and of course the tired, very tired students.

In College Night there is an embodiment of the students' creative efforts as well as the expression of competitive spirit, enthusiasm, and the life of Alabama College.

TOWER TALKS

Hello, and welcome to all the Alumni here for College Night and Homecoming activities. My, how good it is to see all of you back again—makes it seem so much like all those good old times.



the winners.

I know you enjoyed the productions as much as I did. They were both excellent, but only one can win. Here, I give my congratulations to

Looking in on the Purple-Gold party last Saturday night, I had a wonderful time. There was so much excitement—the cheerleaders' costumes, presentation of the Cabinet members, and of course the announcement of the winner—none other than the Golds. I have not seen so much good College Night spirit in a long time.

Also congratulations from the Tower go to the Alumna of the Year—Miss Lillian Gatchell. You really deserve this honor, and I was proud as any when the time came for the presentation of the Alumna of the Year.

College Night 1959 was dedicated to Mrs. Willilee Trumbauer I saw as I looked in on the activities this week.

"Mrs. Trummie", as she is known to all students, is also a graduate of Alabama College.

This ole man knows that the students and leaders could not have selected a more deserving person, and especially one who has had such interest and activity in College Night performances. Again, my congratulations.

Well, I suppose that's about all the news and "doings" that I have been able to see from lofty perch here. So until next time, I'll sign off now.

bama College.

These traditions of College Night should be our pride and joy, so let us not forget the flapper girls of 1920 who created this host of practices, rehearsals, suspense, and frantic pulling of hair.

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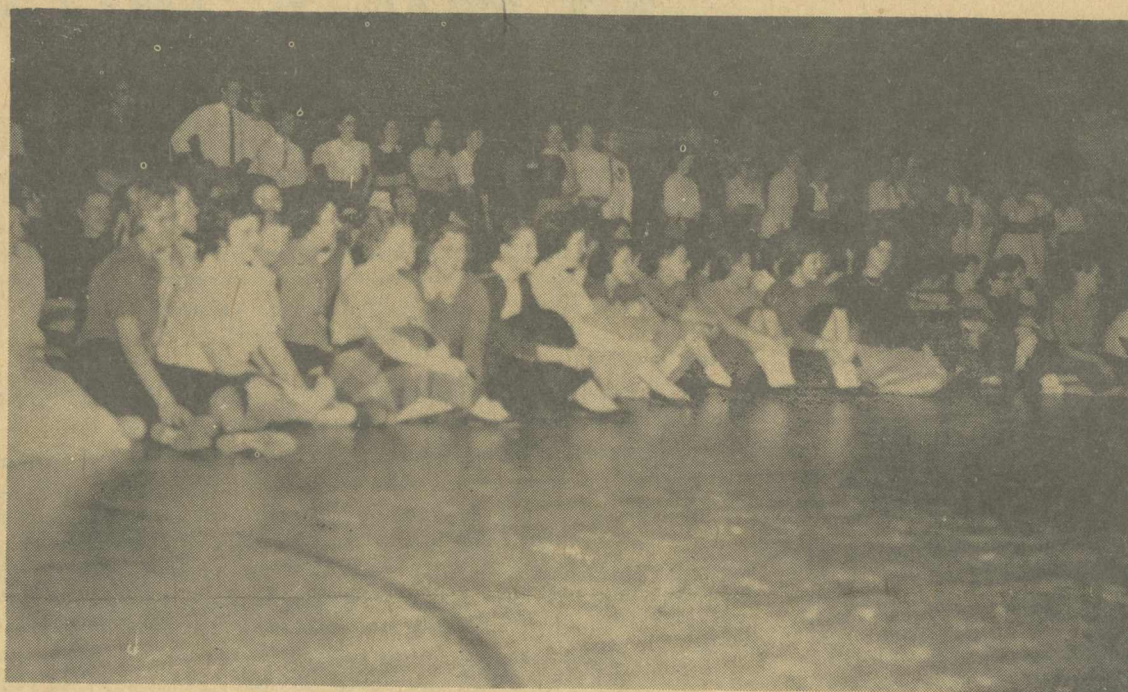
Up goes the Purple sign on Main:
The Big PV



Here we Golds are at Palmer — and we made it first.



Behind the scenes at
Purple Make-Up



Purples and Golds meet at the traditional Purple and Gold Party.



Practice session with Gold
Make-Up Crew



It's on with those Purple costumes before curtain time.



Last-minute touches for the
Gold angels

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Welcome Back, Alumni!
THE PLAZA GRILL

From The President's Desk

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have to recognize at first the functions and obligations of an infirmary so that they may understand and appreciate its proper use.

Any existing educational institution, including Alabama College, can improve each of its individual programs and operations. Certainly the Health Services at Alabama College need improvement. I shall constantly seek improvement in this area. Any impartial study by any selected board of experts will reveal, however, that the Health Services at Alabama College are far superior to those of most of the colleges and universities in the U.S.A.

The costs of operating a college infirmary have kept pace with the increased costs in other medical programs and activities. Moreover, operating an infirmary on a small scale is more expensive than operating a larger facility. Neither state appropriations nor student fees have approached a level of increase that would compensate for increases in the operating costs of the infirmary.

Recently several students have visited my office armed with a number of complaints about our Health Services. These students were welcome, because I always encourage positive, constructive criticism. (Negative criticism flows easily when one isn't well.)

The predominant criticism centered in the scheduled office hours and the availability of the staff physician. Specific office hours, exclusive of the need to attend to real emergencies, must be maintained at the infirmary now and in the future. Office hours are maintained by all physicians. Moreover, the overload on all doctors and nurses eliminates the possibility of immediate attention when you visit a doctor's office, except in emergencies. In many cities, you are fortunate if you can secure a house call in 12-24 hours.

If I may relate a personal experience, on my last three visits to physician's offices, with scheduled appointments during office hours, I remained in one office 2-1/2 hours; in another three hours; in another from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. I was not with the physician in either case longer than fifteen minutes. Where in America do you receive immediate attention in a doctor's office or hospital?

Even if we should have the funds, I should not attempt to provide equipment for the infirmary comparable to a large, modern hospital. The funds would have to be directed to other important functions in order to validate infirmary existence. Though we do need some addition apparatus and equipment, comparing our needs on the basis of standard hospital equipment is not a valid criticism.

Admittedly we need more nursing staff, if longer hours of service should be necessary. The additional staff will be employed as the budget permits. If I may use another personal example, my two sons spent one night in a hospital with no more care than that provided at our infirmary and it cost me \$75.00 for one night.

All of the problems and criticisms relative to the Health Services at Alabama College have been referred to a special committee for study and subsequent recommendations: Parnell, L. C., Chairman; Barclay, Lee A.; Folsom, Aubrey; Forbus, Mary C.; Myrick, Geneva; Reynolds, Robert; Gibson, Iva B. (ex-officio); Orr, M. L. (ex-officio); Walters, John B. (ex-officio).

The report of the Committee will be submitted to the Board of Trustees at its April meeting.

Cleveland P. Hickman in *Health for College Students* makes six basic suggestions for choosing a doctor and the associated health services. He then admonishes his fellowman as follows, "You have a right to change doctors if you think your service is not what it ought to be"—apparently many of the public are not easily satisfied either.

Unfortunately we can not provide a variety of choices for you. To meet only a few of the demands of some of the students would necessitate the creation of a special medical fee for each student of \$50.00. Moreover, the problems would not be solved, because the individual differences among you would naturally cause some of you to find the program unacceptable or unsatisfactory. A plush program of medical practice with some of the suggested frills and furbelows can not be justified as a part of an educational institution. Alabama College is now spending more money on Health Services than the majority of colleges and universities in America.

We are working hard on improvement! I shall always insist that the Health Services at Alabama College provide the best, most effective, efficient and courteous services our resources will permit. I solicit your cooperation and understanding, especially in a realistic manner.

May I suggest that you prepare a list of all the exceptionally fine things that characterize the Health Services, including many hours of devoted, dedicated service of the personnel. To replace them with comparable service would cost us three times the amount in the budget. Simply stated—we receive two-thirds of their services free!

Conclusions reached by a study of the American College Health Association include: "General administration.—There is no uniform or standard health program for college students."

"Preventive procedures and detection of diseases.—definite majority of the colleges with a health service keep medical records for enrolled students."

"Clinical care.—Clinical services are maintained by 80% of the colleges, but these are likely to be for minor rather than major illness."

"College infirmaries are maintained by more than three-fourths of the colleges with a clinical program. Such infirmaries are typically for minor illness only, and the average bed capacity is 13 per 1,000 enrollmen."

"Personnel.—Eight out of ten health services have a staff physician—typically one part-time physician only. Full-time nurses are employed by seven out of ten health services."

"Special health fees have been established at 30% of the colleges with a health service."

Ideals objectives are defined as follows:

"1. To create a healthful environment and atmosphere in which students may develop physically, mentally, and socially and in which they may learn to live more happily as health-minded citizens in their personal lives, in their homes, in their communities and as members of a world society.

"2. To provide means whereby administrators, faculty and all other



DREAMING OF A GOLDEN VICTORY—Is eye-catching Zoe Baum, a freshman elementary education major from Lakeland, Florida. Relaxing from her work on the Gold staging crew, Zoe is enjoying this spring weather in February. This attractive brunette is also active in the Ushers Club.

college employees may be enabled to work together cooperatively for the total health of all.

"3. To facilitate the practical application of health knowledge to daily living in the medical clinic, the classroom, on the campus, and in the community.

"4. To safeguard the health of students, faculty, and non-teaching personnel through the prevention of communicable diseases.

"5. To develop well-adjusted students and graduates who possess information, attitudes, habits, skills, and ideals favorable to efficient and healthful lives for themselves, their families, and their communities.

"6. To assist college students to assume responsibility for their own health, so that they will know when they are in good physical and emotional condition, will recognize deviations from the normal, and will know when and how to seek expert assistance to meet their health needs.

"7. To provide scientific knowledge through a well-integrated plan of health education, so that students will be able to evaluate pseudo-scientific reports and advertising campaigns regarding health and disease nostrums.

"8. To prevent loss of study time and promote the development of efficiency in pursuing college work by insuring maximal personal and community health.

"9. To assist students who are moving from their homes to unfamiliar college environment to find competent and adequate medical care when they become ill. It is hoped that such experience will inculcate habits and attitudes which will help students later in the solution of their medical problems in adult community life.

"10. To develop a working arrangement among members of the college community to promote a single policy of healthful living on the campus."

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His works are in the permanent collections of the Corcoran Art Gallery, the Library of Congress, the Smithsonian Institute, the Carnegie Institute and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Perlmutter's three foot colored lithographs on display here are *A Self Portrait, Were You There, The Transcendental Image, Balcony, Lights of Darkness, End of the River, Draw Bridge, Flash Red Every Three Seconds, Leaving the Subway, The Trawler, Four Horsemen, Pretzels, Carousel, City Scene.*

Dark of the Moon, Swamp Trees, Cave Reflection at Night, Storm, To The Sea, Dirdge, Sun, Suspension, Sea Gulls, Bridge, Window Lights, Factory, Ink Drawing, and Ten Fathoms Deep.

This collection is on loan from the Barnett Aden Gallery in Washington, D.C.

A French film entitled "Gandes Etapes De La Peinture," also sponsored by the Art Department will be shown February 25 at 7:30 in Comer Auditorium. Everyone is invited to attend this showing.

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Discussion Group Has First Meeting

"Facts and Folklore of American Foreign Policy" was the topic of discussion at the initial meeting of a group of students interested in forming a discussing group.

The meeting was at the home of Dr. Girard Priestly, who is assisting the group in organization. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Murray C. Flynn.

Students attending the meeting were Carolyn Moody, Martha Campbell, Jane Ingram, Ann Nabors, Charles Jones, John Scott, Angeline Waites.

Christine Angele, Helga Naumann, Renate Naumann, Mary Ellen Bruhn, Paul Kiparsky, Crystal Ludewig, Kitty Stansell, Barbara Newton, Elizabeth Autry, George Spuhler.



NAUGHTY AGAIN—Scolds Mrs. Nora Lewis, housemother of Tutwiler dormitory. The "caught" victim is Mrs. Mamie Coble, housemother of Ramsay dormitory. Even the housemothers could fuss when the brave Juniors invaded the sacred Senior dorm and stole the Crook—symbol of the "mighty" Seniors.

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Housemothers Back Girls In Fight For The Crook

by Kitty Stansell

A recent visit of the Crook to Ramsay found Mrs. Coble and Mrs. Lewis in the middle of Junior-Senior activity as usual. Since Mrs. Coble is housemother of Ramsay, the Junior dorm, and Mrs. Lewis is housemother of Tutwiler, the Senior dorm, this is to be expected.

Mrs. Mayme Coble is a native of Louisburg, Tennessee. Her college Alma Maters are Peabody College and Middle Tennessee State Teacher's College. Four children and four grandchildren comprise her immediate family.

Before becoming Ramsay housemother she was a housewife, ran a private kindergarten, and taught elementary school.

Her interests are quite varied. Reading, sewing, and fishing are her favorite recreation. When reading she prefers histories, good fiction, and biographies. She likes bridge and golf and finds classical and old-fashioned popular music most appealing. Alabama College ice cream ranks number one as her favorite food.

Mrs. Coble's plans for the summer include visiting friends and relatives in Memphis and Louisville, Tennessee.

Mrs. Norma Lewis's hometown is Columbus, Georgia. Her early

education was completed at St. Elma Institute in Georgia, and her college experience includes business courses at the New York School of Interior Decoration.

Two children and four grandchildren make-up her immediate family. In addition to being a housewife, she has worked as an interior decorator and has taught in elementary school. Just prior to coming here, she was a sorority housemother at the University of Alabama.

A variety of interests and hobbies command Mrs. Lewis's attention. For recreation she prefers reading, sewing, walking, being with people, conversation, and gardening. When reading, she enjoys biographies and philosophies.

Her many hobbies include decorating, baby-sitting her grandchildren, studying antiques and old china, and writing genealogies. Dancing has been one of her favorite pastime.

Mrs. Lewis's musical likes are concerts and symphonies, and she dislikes Rock and Roll.

Her tentative plans for this summer include visiting her son in Paris, France.

When asked if they had any special problems with their girls, each replied that their girls were never problems.

Do You Think for Yourself? (ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS AND FIND OUT!*)



1. If you were about to buy an automobile, would you (A) study the road-test reports in the magazines, or (B) select the car that looks best to you?

A ☐ B ☐



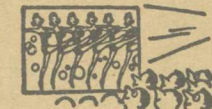
5. In buying a radio, would you be influenced more by (A) low price, or (B) product features despite a slightly higher price?

A ☐ B ☐



2. When confronted with a menu with lots of foreign terms, do you (A) ask what is in each dish, or (B) accept the waiter's recommendation?

A ☐ B ☐



6. When deciding on what movie to see, do you usually prefer films that (A) are gay and diverting, or (B) have a social message?

A ☐ B ☐



3. When invited to play an unfamiliar game, do you (A) refuse to play until you fully understand the rules, or (B) pick up the rules as you go along?

A ☐ B ☐



7. When you run into a foreign phrase in a textbook, do you first (A) head for a dictionary to find the meaning, or (B) try to dope out the meaning yourself?

A ☐ B ☐



4. When invited to a party, do you (A) accept, hoping to enjoy yourself no matter who attends, or (B) try to learn who will be there before accepting?

A ☐ B ☐



8. When reading the paper, do you (A) catch yourself concentrating on scandal stories, or (B) spend your time on news and editorial matter?

A ☐ B ☐

9. In choosing a filter cigarette, (A) are you easily swayed by bold claims, or (B) do you think for yourself and stick by your decision?

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High Schoolers Over The State Journey To Campus For 16th Drama Festival



SAY AH — Requests teacher Ann Riley, a senior majoring in speech therapy, as she works with children in the Alabama College speech and hearing clinic. The "clinic", as it is known to students working with the various age groups, is sponsored by the Alabama College Speech Clinic. Students majoring in speech therapy are given actual teaching practice before graduating.

March 6 will mark the 16th Annual Festival at Alabama College. The Festival was begun in 1942 with its purpose being the recognition of excellent dramatic work from each of the nine congressional districts.

However, it was soon evident that in certain districts such work was almost non-existent. Thus, the issuance of invitations was changed to the state-at-large.

The schools invited to the Drama Festival this year include Bessemer Junior High, Banks, Ensley, and Phillips High of Birmingham, Geneva, Dothan, Bear Creek, Sheffield, Indian Springs, Central High of Phenix City, Albert G. Parrish of Selma, Thomas W. Martin of Gorgas, and Capital Heights and Cloverdale Junior High of Montgomery.

Each year the Festival includes, in addition to the one-act plays brought, demonstrations of theatre practice, such as acting tryouts, costuming, lighting, pantomime, make-up, and the like, as well as discussion of various pertinent topics. Recently, some phase of College Night has been presented.

Last year the number of producing groups was increased to ten and the number of non-producing groups, as well as the length of the Festival, was increased.

For the second year the Festival will be called the Walter H. Trumbauer Drama Festival in appreciation and recognition of his devotion and participation in the organization.

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Dean M. L. Orr To Retire

TOWER TALKS

Well, here it is—all over! Yes, still, I'll say that College Night gets better each year. I'm already looking forward to next year. Also, I'm glad to hear, from the President's Desk, that College Night will continue as long as the students support it.

Greeting to all the visitors on campus this week end. I'm referring to members of the Drama Festival. We hope you enjoy our campus as much as we do, and maybe you will come back real soon.

I'm looking forward to next week end and, as they say, getting a preview of some members of the class of 1963 when the high school students come for Honor Scholarship competition. Good luck to all of you from the Tower, and may the best one win.

These nice spring days really make me get in that hiking mood. Just think, spring will soon be here. As I look over the campus and surrounding area, I see "lots" of places for hikes and picnics.

Say, I'd just love to go out to Davis Falls or Falling Rock, some Saturday. But suppose I'll stay here and watch you as you go. Seems as if it would be loads of fun.

Looking over the coming events, I see that SGA elections are coming up soon. Let me encourage all of you be sure to support a candidate and by all means vote. Your SGA is what you make it.

Class Rings Are Made Standard

The standard ring for Alabama College has been designed by Herff-Jones Company. The class of 1960 will be the first recipient of this new class ring.

The standard ring will be entirely different from the old ring style. The new one has been designed with a picture of Palmer Hall and the degree received on one shank with the school seal and the year graduated on the other shank.

"Alabama College, Montevallo" will be written on the face of the ring. Students will be given a choice between a red or a purple stone with either a smooth or a faceted cut.

The Tea House has obtained a five-year contract with Herff-Jones Company and will handle all the orders of the rings. Up until the present time, the treasurer of the Junior class has obtained a one-year contract with a ring company.

This year, the SGA decided that it would be better if one agency was in charge of selling rings.

In this way, the contract could be better enforced, a better arrangement obtained, and the ring will cost the student much less than before.

A sample ring will be on display in the Tea House in two or three weeks and orders for the rings will then be accepted.

Herff-Jones is currently designing a pin, which will be similar to the face of the ring with a chain and guard showing the year and degree.

Student Body Elections Will Be Held March 18

With elections scheduled for the middle of March, all students planning to run for offices of the Student Government Association must secure a qualification slip from the President of the S.G.A.

Special requirements for holding major S.G.A. offices are:

(1) All members of the Executive Council shall have a cumulative grade point average of at least "C" and shall meet the requirements of the citizenship committee. The President of S.G.A. must be an incoming Senior and must have served for at least one year in some form of student government, and must have attended Alabama College for the two semesters immediately preceding his election. The Vice-President must be an incoming Junior. The Secretary shall be an incoming Sophomore. The Social Chairman must be an incoming Senior and must have served previously on a

socioal committee of some student organization or of a House council. General requirements for holding S.G.A. offices include:

(1) An Academic standard of an average of at least "C" for the preceding semester is required for an office unless otherwise stated in the constitution.

(2) A student may not hold more than one student government office.

(3) A student must have been in residence the preceding semester unless otherwise stated.

(4) All candidates must meet the citizenship qualifications required. A candidate shall not have been on conduct probation during the school year of the election.

The requirements for holding publications offices include those listed above and also those listed below:

(1) Candidates for editor and business manager shall be in com-



DR. M. L. ORR

ing Junior or Senior and shall have been students at Alabama College for two semesters continually, or at any time prior to election.

(2) Candidates for editor and business manager of student publications must have a grade point average of 1.5 or above.

(3) Each candidate for editor or business manager will appear personally before the Publications Board for an interview upon notification by the Chairman of the Publications Board.

Academic Dean Ends 37 Years This Semester

Climaxing thirty-seven years of service at Alabama College is Dr. M. L. Orr, Sr., whose retirement goes into effect at the end of this term.

Dr. Orr came to this campus in 1922, rising from professor of education to chairman of his department, and finally to dean of the college.

He holds a B.S. degree from the University of Alabama, a M.A. and Ph.D. from Peabody.

A deacon in the First Baptist Church of Montevallo, Dr. Orr is active in local organizations such as the Rotary Club. He is also a Mason and a Shriner.

Dr. Orr was named to Who's Who in America in 1958.

He is also a member of the American Childhood Education Fellowship.

In addition to his publications in numerous periodicals, Dr. Orr has also published "Survey Workbooks for Community Analysis".

Dr. Orr has been affiliated with Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary educational fraternities, and Sigma Nu, social fraternity.

Optimistic in his views about Alabama College, Dr. Orr said, "Since becoming connected with Alabama College in 1922, I have seen the college develop from a 3 year undergraduate college to a degree rendering college in 1925, a standard four year Liberal Arts College accredited by practically every accrediting agency of which a college is eligible.

I have seen the college develop from a women's college to a co-educational college; I have seen the introduction of graduate work during the summer leading to a master's degree in teaching.

"I believe the college is on the verge of its greatest development into a stronger Liberal Arts college with some professional training. I believe that under the leadership of President Phillips and an able faculty the college is destined to be of even greater service to the state and that it bids fair to become one of the outstanding small colleges of the country."

Honor Scholarship Week-end Activities Planned For High-School Competitors

Following tests to be taken by approximately 300 high school seniors March 13 at Alabama College, scholarships, valued at \$11,100, will be awarded to twenty-six students excelling on the examinations.

The students will be the guests of Alabama College from Thursday afternoon, March 12 until Saturday afternoon, March 14. While here, the men will stay in West Main and the women will be guests of women students at the College.

A schedule of testing, recreation, and entertainment has been planned for the group. After their arrival and registration Thursday, they will have supper at the lake. That evening they will attend the College opera followed by a

"social get-together" in the Napier recreation room.

All of Friday will be spent in taking the various tests. Friday evening they will be guests at the Varel and Bailey concert.

Saturday morning will be devoted to personal interviews with the faculty heads of departments in which the students plan to major.

This schedule of activities and the housing was planned by Dean Iva Gibson and the executive council of the Student Government Association.

There will be twenty honor and four music scholarship available to both men and women. For the women there will be two additional scholarships given in the field of physical education.

Ten of the honor scholarships will be awarded in the division of high schools graduating fewer than fifty students while the other ten will be given in the division of high schools graduating fifty or more students.

Only those students who are unmarried, in the upper fourth of their class, and recommended by their principals are eligible for the competition. Additional recommendations from teachers are required by those trying for the physical education and music scholarships.

The money for the honor scholarships comes from the proceeds of sales at A. C.'s Tea House. In this way the scholarships are supported by all of the students at Alabama College.



Students who received Honor Scholarships last year are first row, left to right: Katherine Lavender, Lois Strickland, Linda Mims, Tommie Waldrop; second row: Carl Horne, Beulah Collins, Beth Lusk, Mary Simms, Thomas Quan; third row: Helen Brasfield, Spencer Clements, Leroy Swanner, Morris Weaver, and Joe Van Matre.

Former Physician Succumbs At Home

Dr. Willena Peck, physician at Alabama College from 1915 to 1952, died in Stow, Mass., Friday, Feb. 27 after a brief illness.

She was 83 years old at the time of her death.

She had been college physician at Alabama College for 37 years. After retiring she returned to her native town of Stow.

Dr. Peck received her MD degree from Woman's Medical College, Baltimore Md., in 1900. In 1950 she celebrated a half century of service in the medical profession. Alabama College honored her in 1940 with an honorary degree of Doctor of Law and Letters.

She was a past president of the Shelby County Medical Association, and also served the organization as secretary-treasurer.

She attended the Montevallo Presbyterian Church during her tenure at Alabama College.

Speak Through Your Vote In Coming SGA Elections

The voice of the students rings loud and clear! The coming student Government Association elections will determine just how loud and clear. The voice will be loud and as clear as student interest makes it. Sounding this voice is the responsibility of every student. Responsibility is a repulsive word to most students, but freedom and responsibility are inseparable. Just as students enjoy the freedom of self-government through SGA, so do they exercise their freedom to elect the leaders of their choice through SGA elections.

If this freedom is to be fully realized, each student must, first of all, vote. A one-hundred per cent turnout at the polls would create quite a rumble in the voice of the students. The vote, one of a student's or citizen's most precious rights, is the minimum requirement in an election. Only when every student votes is an election truly representative of the student body; otherwise, the voice raised is that of the minority, not the student body.

Student interest also includes a role in the campaigning. Support of friends who run, aid to the qualified, and general cooperation are essential to a successful campaign. Interest and enthusiasm are vital to an election.

As seen, each student bears the responsibility of voting and of being interested, and to the qualified falls another: running for office. Since all nominations for office are now by student petition, the responsibility of initiative emerges. Every qualified, interested student must consider running for office, must present to the students for their judgment.

Initiative is primarily the duty of the individual, but every student can urge the qualified to assert themselves and can support them. Again, the Voice of the Students shall be heard, in this case, as their choices for office are nominated.

Thus, the voice of the students will peal loudest and most effectively during SGA elections if students vote, assert their interest, and run for office.

Should We Change Residence Hours?

According to the Alabama College Bulletin, 1957-58, 138 weeks of residence, computed on an 18 weeks semester, are required for graduation. This was amended in the 1958-59 bulletin, (just published, with announcements for the 1959-60 session) to read, "a residence of not less than 130 weeks." A footnote adds that a "maximum of 17 weeks will be counted for a semester of work."

Under these residence requirements, it makes it necessary for a student to spend four years (eight semesters) or three years (six semesters) and three summer schools completing his degree regardless of the number of hours he has accumulated in this time.

In conjunction with this requirement it is the policy of allowing a student to take only 17 hours a semester; the regular load being 16 hours a semester. "Except in unusual cases, no student is allowed to take more than seventeen hours of work unless he has an average of B for the previous semester, the consent of the college physician, the chairman of the department in which he is a major, and the Dean."

Why is it necessary to hold back ambitious students who desire to advance more rapidly than the average student when they have shown their capabilities? Surely one will agree that the development of minds is not the "only" purpose of a college education, but it is its primary job with "citizenship" and "social adjustment" being secondary and will come no more surely in four years than in two. Then what is the answer to our question?

Since this situation is unique to Alabama College (they can be found in no requirement to which the college is a member and are required by no other school of which we know), it might be supposed that these requirements are the outgrowth of a small student body, attempting, as long as possible, to retain the students—and its income. Since this is no longer the situation, it would be hoped that the administration would look once more at this requirement, and consider still further revision, with the desires and needs of the student in mind.—D. T.

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From The President's Desk

Congratulations and felicitations to the Golds!

A completely neutral position is very difficult to maintain relative to any activity or program. It is exceedingly difficult, though necessary, for the President of Alabama College to remain neutral throughout all College Night activities until the announcement of the decision of the judges has been made public. Until the "Grand Finale" and announcement by the President of SGA, the President is permitted to support College Night only in a very general way. He must be extremely cautious not "to take sides" or to become too involved in the developments. Admittedly, this imposed neutrality removes some of the excitement.



Dr. H. M. Phillips

Unfortunately, severe illness prevented my attending the Saturday night performance. I especially missed the backstage celebration! You may be sure that I should have been present had I not been ordered to remain in bed. I was present on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

As usual, everybody really won! The Purples, though defeated this year, certainly performed well. Each individual who actually participated in College Night surely benefitted from his or her experiences. Alabama College has profited in many ways each year by College Night programs.

Homecoming at Alabama College is a significant occasion. One of the great privileges and pleasures provided for those of us who live on the campus resides in extending cordial greetings and, we hope, real hospitality to all alumni.

The question most frequently asked me by the alumni was, "Will College Night be abolished after this year?" Unfortunately, the rumor is spread each year that College Night will be discontinued. As long as College Night is supported by the majority of students, alumni, faculty and staff, it will remain as a part of the total program at Alabama College. For that matter, all worthy programs will remain until we are convinced that one has a much better substitute.

Suppose we direct our energies and thoughts toward bigger and better College Nights!

Letter To The Editor

(The opinions expressed in Letters To The Editor are not necessarily those of the editor, or the Alabamian staff.)

To The Editor:

We appreciate the fact that our president has taken time from his busy schedule to give attention, via his article, to the health services of Alabama College. Our letter, we believe, expresses not only our views (the undersigned) but also those of many of our fellow students.

It is not our intention to make a character analysis or criticism for we are sincerely seeking improvement of services. We appreciate the devotedness of the infirmary personnel, for we too are devoted to Alabama College.

To begin with, we are not questioning the equipment and apparatus, as there seems to be a sufficient amount to cover any emergency which might arise, and in case of a major ailment or accident, the student should be and can be referred to a place where additional facilities may be obtained. However, we are questioning the services and qualifications of certain personnel.

We do not believe that it is necessary for us to have a

plush program of medical practice with some of the suggested frills and furbelows," but we do feel that the Alabama College Infirmary should provide the "best, most effective, efficient, and courteous services."

With reference to Dr. Phillip's article, we are not clear as to the statement that "it is neither incumbent upon nor appropriate for a college or university infirmary to practice medicine. A college infirmary should provide treatment and relief for minor ailments." We see no distinction between the two.

A proper diagnosis must be made before correct treatment can be given—even for a minor ailment. We contend that this is practicing medicine.

We realize that specific office hours must be maintained. We resent the fact that college faculty, staff, and townspeople encroach upon our scheduled time since the Student Government Handbook of 1958-1959 states: "The College Infirmary is maintained for the benefit of the students."

Alabamian Editor Speaks To Students

No doubt many of the students, alumni, and friends are still wondering how it was possible for the Alabamian to be distributed immediately after the final College Night production.

Two separate papers were made up and 1100 copies of each were printed. One paper was written with the Golds winning and the other with the Purples.

These papers were in Public Relations Office, and the correct one was distributed.

The other paper was destroyed. However, it seems that very poor sportsmanship on the part of several students was shown. This was observed when they tried to obtain papers of the losing side.

We are sorry, but the other papers had to be destroyed. Rules are rules and are made to be followed.

Also this lack of sportsmanship was shown by someone when they removed the paper (one of the losing side) from the SGA bulletin board. If this paper was to have been circulated, it would have been given out in Palmer.

When placed on the bulletin board, it was intended that the paper remain there to show how both copies were obtained—not to be removed to the Tea House.

I SEARCHED

by Louise Bishop

I searched the whole world over,
I went from place to place,
Seeking happiness.
I searched every face,
For beauty, love, and grace.
But none could I find.
I scrambled through book after book.
I sought through hook and crook.
But none could I find.
I talked and talked.
I walked and walked.
On and on,
I found none.
I cried, I wept, I prayed.
But happiness was not made.
From door to door,
I searched evermore.
Lonely, living, never loving.
Moaning, mourning, ever moving.
But happiness was never there.
I listened and touched and smelled
all of life's glory,
But sorrow filled my soul and
swelled, and held life's story
Crying, I trod.
Dying, without God.
Onward I searched—ever going,
Onward I lurched—never slowing
Oh, my God, I cried,
Must I, too, be denied,
Happiness—love?
And then the answer came,
As if from above,
Over and over—again and again.
Happiness is not given,
It comes from Heaven.
It springs from inside.
And is not denied.
To those who search within.
All my years I had wasted,
Longing for happiness I had not
tasted.
All the time it was there with me.
Happiness—love, there to have and
hold—free.

Lastly, students attending college are for the most part responsible individuals. We believe that those who do go to the infirmary after office hours for medical attention do so out of necessity and not because they feel that it is "a rest home, resort, and corner drug store."

In fact, there are many incidents in which students refuse to go to the infirmary for medical attention because of the curtness they have received on previous occasions.

We are sending a copy of this letter to the special committee, and we request that a committee from the Student Senate work with them so the students' viewpoints will be given due consideration.

Prudence Menzies
Bettilee Stain
Margaret Tait
Judy Harmon
Pat Herrod
Lael Blankenship



In a practice session with Mr. Tolbert, director of the coming operas, are Sue Bedgood and Dennis Sheppard.

The Joy Of Being Editor

Getting out this newsheet is no picnic.
If we print jokes, people say we are silly.
If we don't, they say we're too serious.
If we stick close to the "office" all day,
We ought to be out hunting news.
If we go out and try to hustle,
We ought to be on the job in the office.
If we don't print contributions
We don't appreciate genius.
And if we do print them,
The paper is filled with junk.
If we make a change in the other fellow's write-up,
We're too critical.
If we don't we're asleep.
If we clip things from other papers,
We're too lazy to write them ourselves.
If we don't, we're stuck on our own stuff.
Now, like as not, some person will say
We swiped this from some other publication . . .

We DID!

Varel & Bailly With Les Chanteurs Is Coming Attraction On March 13

The nine ebullient Frenchmen, currently bouncing in and out of the Waldorf-Astoria in New York twice nightly, have an air about them too seldom seen these days—they look happy.

They appear to enjoy what they are doing more than anything else in the world. What they do is sing; and whether they sing a nostalgic ballad about cherry blossom time ("le Temp des Cerises") or cavort melodically with a stuffed dummy of the Charleston era ("La Grande Coco").

Their enthusiasm is so contagious that for forty-five minutes even the food-conscious patrons at the dinner show stop eating and hang on every note.

The mellifluous company responsible for this happy state of affairs is made up of Andre Varel and Charly Bailly, who are probably France's top song writing team, and the seven members of Les Chanterus de Paris who are all graduates of the famous children's chorus, "The Little Singers of Paris."

(Les Chanteurs are not to be confused with another famous but more conventional French singing group, Les Compagnons de la Chanson, which also makes use of some Varel and Bailly material.)

Words of Heart: According to

the supposedly immutable laws of American show business, this sort of vocal attraction has no right to be such a hit. For most of the songs are in French, and many of the tunes are unfamiliar.

But when Varel and Bailly came to the U.S. for the first time last year, six weeks of bookings stretched into six months, and in June when they wind up this year's tour of the United States, Canada, and the Caribbean, they will have completed eight months of concert, cabaret, and television work.

The pair met in North Africa during World War II. Varel was a practicing dentist with a passion for writing poetry. Bailly was a promising young composer and pianist.

They entertained for the Free French, and after the war stuck with their new song writing careers. When not busy writing material for themselves, they have created songs for such French stars as Edith Piaf, Patachou, and Jacqueline Francois.

Generally, Varel writes the text first, because the team firmly believes that "There can be no song without subjects."

At thirty-six, Bailly with his crewcut head, still looks like a bespectacled French college boy. Varel is a dark, dapper thirty-nine, who thinks that their warm reception is due to the fact that "Our sincerity speaks for us. It's not the words," he emphasized with Gallic passion. "We sing from the heart."

Varel and Bailly with Les Chanteurs de Paris will be visiting our college campus on Friday, March 13. Their program will be that night at 8:15 in Palmer Hall.

School Of Music To Present Two Modern Operas In March

The Alabama College School of Music, in collaboration with the College Theatre, will present on March 12 two short modern operas: "Sunday Excursion," by Sundgaard and Wider, and "Slow Dusk," by Carlisle Floyd.

Two performances will be given, one at 11:00 a.m., and another at 8:15 p.m. in Palmer Auditorium.

B'ham Opera Guild Sponsors Contest

The Birmingham Opera Guild is again sponsoring an opera essay contest on the subject of Tosca, the opera to be presented here by the Metropolitan Committee of the Music Study Club on May 5th.

The contest is open to high school and college students throughout the state of Alabama and both groups will be judged separately.

Entries may be written on any phase of Tosca or the life of the author, Puccini, and should be from 500 to 1,000 words in length. They should be submitted to Mrs. John Jacobson, 3600 Dover Drive, Birmingham, Alabama, no later than April 1, 1959.

Winners will be announced at the Opera Guild luncheon in April and both a high school student and a college student will receive a \$25 prize for winning essays.

Several of the essays will also be used by the Speakers Bureau of the Metropolitan Opera.

Mr. Bruce Tolbert, Associate Professor of Music, is musical director for the productions. Staging is being directed by Dr. Andrew J. Kochman, Jr., Associate Professor of Speech and Director of College Theatre.

Members of the cast of "Sunday Excursion" are: Linda Mims, soprano, from Birmingham; Judy Harmon, alto, West Blocton; Ed Cooper, tenor, Birmingham; Vance Bush, baritone, Montevallo; and Ned Lowery, bass-baritone, Jemison.

Students appearing in "Slow Dusk" are: Charlotte McKinney, mezzo soprano, from Birmingham; Sue Bedgood, soprano, Montgomery; Dennis Sheppard, baritone, Mobile; and Randall Veazey, tenor, Maplesville.

Mary Katherine Hicks and Denny Elliott, both of Montevallo, will provide piano accompaniment.

"Slow Dusk," published in 1957, is a brief tragedy of "po' white trash" in the sandhills of the Carolinas. It is preceded in presentation by "Sunday Excursion," published in 1953, a musical skit intended by the composers to accompany "operas serious in tone, but modest in length, which demand a curtain-raiser for effective presentation."

Because freedom from concerns for financial success allows the educational institution an opportunity for experimentation which professional companies cannot afford, the Alabama College School of Music perceives an obligation to further the growth of the opera form by promoting contemporary works such as these.

Dr. Mary Esther Gaulden, Oak Ridge Lectures On Radiation Effects

While holding her audience of approximately fifty students spellbound, Dr. Mary Esther Gaulden, radiation biologist from the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, delivered her lecture on the Effects of Radiation on the Living Cell.

The Biology Club's guest speaker at their regular meeting is a native of South Carolina and attended Winthrop College for her undergraduate study.

Her graduate work was done at the University of Virginia, after which she worked for one year at the University of Alabama as research associate.

After working at the National Institute of Health in Washington, D.C., Dr. Gaulden went to the University of Tennessee for a year as research associate.

She went to the Oak Ridge Laboratory in 1949, and since has performed many interesting and vital experiments there.



SPRING HAS SPRUNG! At least it has for attractive Wynette Turner, junior Business Administration major, who is testing the water before taking the plunge. The sparkling co-ed was one of the nominees for Elite Night beauty.

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Eight Faculty Women Receive High Honor

Eight members of the Alabama College faculty have the distinction of being named to the first edition of Who's Who of American Women, 1958-'59.

This is the first compilation of such status.

Receiving the honor are: Virginia W. Barnes, associate professor of art; Dr. Bernice Finger, acting chairman of the department of health, physical education, and recreation; Dr. Betty L. Lumby, associate professor of music; Dr. Ethel Marshall, associate professor of history.

Dr. Lorraine Pierson, chairman of foreign language department; Abi Russell, Director of libraries; Dr. Katherine Vickery, chairman of the department of psychology; and Dr. Laura F. Wright, chairman of the speech department.



DR. LAURA WRIGHT
... Speech Chairman



MRS. VIRGINIA BARNES
... Art Professor



DR. BERNICE FINGER
... Physical Education Dept.

The new Who's Who of American Women was compiled to meet the demand for biographical data on outstanding women in comparison to other women and not men. It was published by the editors of Who's Who in America. Women who had already been named to Who's Who in American were eligible for the Who's Who of American Women.

Fifty thousand American women met the standards of high achievements in their field of study. These were screened and only the elite selected.

Miss Russell was one of the few librarians paid the tribute. The salute paid these faculty members is especially great since it is the first of its kind.

Two hundred Alabamians are in the edition.



DR. BETTY LUMBY
... Music Dept.



DR. ETHEL MARSHALL
... Social Science Dept.



MISS ABI RUSSELL
... College Librarian



DR. KATHERINE VICKERY
... Psychology Dept.



DR. LORRAINE PIERSON
... Language Chairman

"Name The Team" Contest Now Open

A twenty-five dollar prize is being offered to the person who submits the winning name in a "Name the Team" contest.

Entries should suggest a name of a mascot for Alabama College's inter-collegiate sports teams. An explanation in fifty words or less should accompany each entry.

The contest, which is sponsored by the Alabamian, with permission from the Student Government executive council, is open to the student body.

It will be open March 7-21. Judging will be done in March.

I SUGGEST

as the name for our intercollegiate sports teams because (in 50 words or less)

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Future Features

March 6-7	Drama Festival
March 10	Birmingham Concert Series
March 12-15	Honor Scholarship Weekend
March 12	Alabama College Opera
March 13	Concert and Lecture Series
	Varel & Bailey with Les Chanteurs de Paris
March 16	Organ Concert—Fenner Douglas
March 17	Physical Education Club Banquet
March 18	SGA Elections
March 21	SGA Annual Dance

College Night

SGA President Talks To Students

Fellow Students:

I realize that after four hectic weeks that most of you are ready to lay College Night aside a while and concentrate on other activities; however, there are one or two comments that I would like to make before we leave College Night, 1959.

First of all, there have been many favorable comments on this year's College Night. People who have been watching College Night for quite a number of years have said that this is one of the best College Nights ever, and even though the Golds had the most points at the end, I think that both sides have a right to claim a great victory. In recent years, there have been those who have said that College Night is dying and that everyone will be better off when this happens. I think this year's performance should go a long way toward silencing these critics.

Secondly, "Mrs. Trummy" has asked me to express to you her sincere appreciation for the College Night dedication, and to tell you what a wonderful experience it was for her to have been selected. She also congratulates the leaders, cabinets, crews, and everyone concerned for an excellent College Night.

Lastly, I would like to offer my personal congratulations to each of you who was in any way responsible for this highly successful College Night. It was a pleasurable experience for me to be able to work with you, and everyone was very cooperative. The magnificent way in which you responded Saturday night when our little calamity occurred has prompted many words of praise, which I think are richly deserved. Certainly, the College Night standards have been raised by the 1959 performance.

Sincerely,
Neal Shirley

From The Alumni Office . . .

A large number of alumni who returned to Alabama College during the Homecoming week-end commented on the high calibre of both productions and on the overall College Night program.

They were particularly impressed with the good sportmanship, the ingenuity, and the calmness of the students in the face of an emergency . . . such as the curtain falling on Saturday night.

The oldest alumna to return this year was Mrs. F. C. Smith of Birmingham who represented the class of 1901.

Some of the visitors from afar included June Segler Schipper, Gold leader in 1953, who came from Minnesota. Myrt Salter, class of 1954, came from New York to attend the College Night activities.

Helen Newton
Alumni Secretary

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Qualification Test Scheduled For April

Applications for the April 30, 1959 administration of the College Qualification Test are now available at Selective Service System local boards throughout the country.

Eligible students who intend to take this test should apply at once to the nearest Selective Service local board for an application and a bulletin of information.

Following instructions in the bulletin, the student should fill out his application and mail it immediately in the envelope provided to SELECTIVE SERVICE EXAMING SECTION, Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 586, Princeton, New Jersey. Applications for the April 30 test must be postmarked no later than midnight, April 9, 1959.

According to Educational Testing Service, which prepares and administers the College Qualification Test for the Selective Service System, it will be greatly to the student's advantage to file his application at once.

The results will be reported to the student's Selective Service local board of jurisdiction for use in considering his deferment as a student.

WRSD RADIO LOG

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
3:30-4:00	Gene Brymer Jack Doherty	Music	Music Mary Jo Alfano	Frank Thiemonge Music & Interviews
4:00-4:05	News	News	News	News
4:05-4:30	Music	Music	Mary M. Lynch	Frank Thiemonge
4:30-5:00	Music	Annette Cataldo Foreign Students Interview	Rick Stewart	Nancy Heaslett Live Talents
5:00-5:05	News	News	News	News
5:05-5:30	Music	Chuck Larden	Chuck Larden	Ben Stewart
5:30-6:00	Music	Music	Music	Music
6:30-7:00	Eliz. Thompson Musical Moods	Beverly Drew Louise Benford	Music	Beverly Drew
7:00-7:05	News	News	News	News
7:05-7:30	Don Bryant Joe Foshee	Ralph Thrasher Buddy South	Shirley Beavers Music From Broadway	Jim Graham
7:30-8:00	Don Bryant Joe Foshee	Music, Sports News	Jimmy Cartee	Campus Holiday
8:00-8:05	News	News	News	News
8:05-8:30	Mary G. Fleming Class. & Semi- Class. Music	Joe Roper Jim Eddins	Mary C. Moon	Hilda Ocasio Spanish Music
8:30-9:00	Mary G. Fleming Class. & Semi- Class. Music	Music & Commentary	Roger Zucco Jazz	Joe Roper
9:00-9:05	News	News	News	News
9:05-9:30	Public Service Navy Show	David Hayes Musical	Jo Anne Rogers Carol Lewis	James Vines
9:30-10:00	Don Jacks	Loretta Adams Anne Aylsworth Student-Faculty Interviews	Margaret Tait "The Lamp Is Low"	Music
10:00-10:05	News	News	News	News
10:05-10:30	Don Jacks	Loretta Adams Anne Aylsworth	Ben Stewart	Ben Stewart

The Friday program is handled by Nelson Forbes.

WRSD Operates On New Plan, Seven Hour, Five Day Week

WRSD, 660 radio, now operates seven hours a day five days a week in contrast to the previous three and a half hours. Also, classical music is presented every Sunday afternoon.

A variety of music is offered, from Dixieland to Opera, from the 400 sides of the station's long play

records.

Five minutes of news and weather received over the teletype direct from the United Press International in New York, are broadcast every hour on the hour.

Programs are given by any student interested in radio work and members of the radio classes. Harvey Fleming, Jr., serves as station manager with Mike Haywood as chief engineer, Mary Gene Fleming as program director, and Jim Graham as head of special events. Mrs. Patricia Coppedge is the advisor.

For better reception all tubes have been replaced and the station has been rewired. In order to cover ball games and other campus activities, a remote transmitter has been ordered. The transmitter will allow taping the events for permanent filing.

Another feature of the station is the daily publication of WRSD-o-grams by the members of the Radio 160 class. These publications keep the students informed about national current events.

Dr. Hamden Ferkner To Be Guest Speaker

Dr. Hamden L. Ferkner, bookkeeping author will be guest of the Business Administration March 12. He will speak to the Business Administration classes during his visit here.

Dr. Ferkner is author and co-author of many Bookkeeping and Accounting, Correlated Dictation and Transcription. He has also contributed to many yearbooks and professional magazines.

Dr. Ferkner is inventor, author, and publisher of Ferkner Alphabet Shorthand which has recently been adopted by the world's largest high school.

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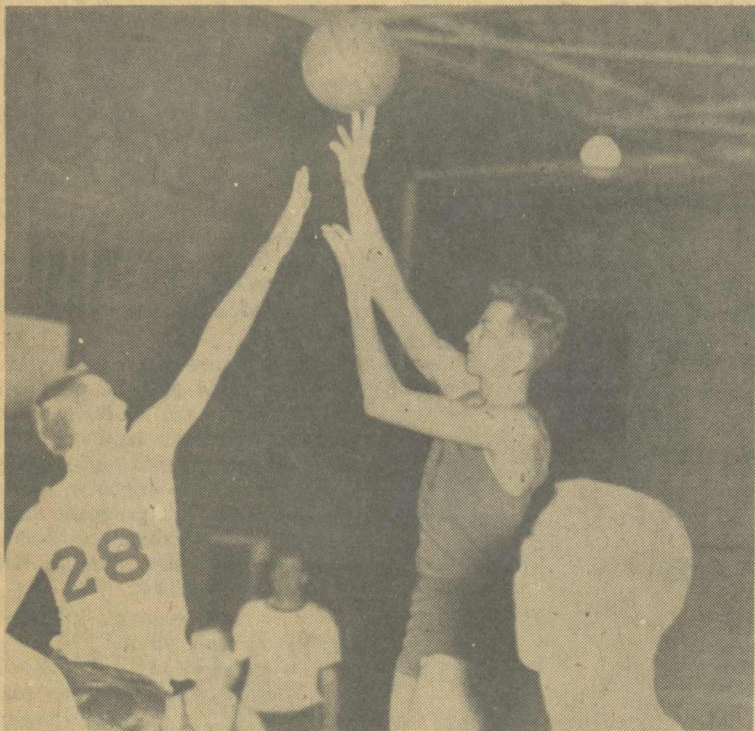
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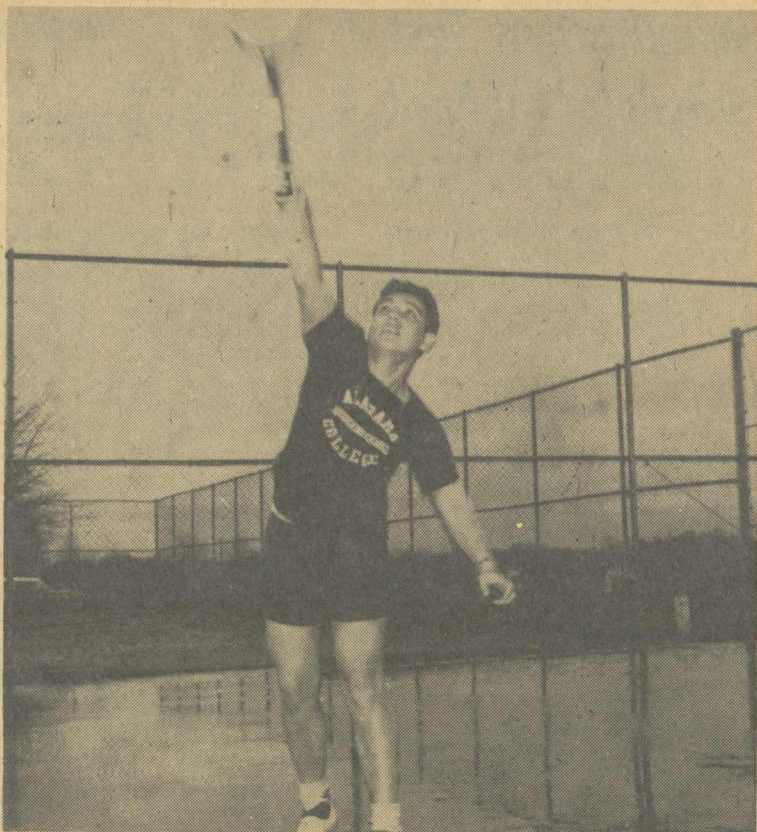


Ellis Faught, Alabama College forward, is shown above shooting a jump shot over the outstretched arm of Birmingham Southern's Charles Reynolds. Also shown (center) are A. C. Guard Jerry Harrison, Referee Floyd Anderson, and (far right) an unidentified Southern player.

Score 61-59

A.C. All-Stars
Edge Southern

Southern				
G	F	B	T	
Martin	7	0-1	4	14
Oglesby	2	0-0	1	4
Greenhill	0	0-0	3	0
Sobera	1	0-0	1	2
Boyer	0	0-0	1	0
Glass	5	0-0	5	10
Andrews	3	1-2	2	7
Reynolds	2	2-2	0	6
Linn	2	0-0	1	4
Bradford	0	1-1	1	1
Cutliff	3	5-5	4	11
Phillips	0	0-0	1	0
Totals	25	9-11	24	59
Alabama College				
G	F	B	T	
Jacks	5	0-0	3	10
Godfrey	3	2-3	3	8
Mims	1	4-5	1	6
Thrasher	4	0-2	0	8
Harrison	5	1-2	0	11
Van Cleave	0	0-0	1	0
Faught	5	4-9	3	14
Barton	0	0-1	0	0
Mahone	0	0-0	0	0
South	0	0-0	1	0
Roper	0	0-0	0	0
Harris	0	0-1	0	0
Findley	1	0-1	2	2
Thornton	0	0-0	0	0
McCaig	1	0-0	0	2
Totals	25	11-24	11	61



Getting in practice for the coming tennis team is sophomore Vance Bush.

Baseball Spring Training
Opens With "Rosy" Hopes

Twelve pitchers and and three catchers greeted Coach Frank Lightfoot on March 2nd with the opening of spring baseball practice.

The pitcher-catcher roster includes four lettermen (three pitchers and one catcher) from last year's squad plus a host of newcomers who will increase the battery strength greatly.

Coach Lightfoot had this to say about his pitching and catching prospects. "Our pitching and catching will be better this year."

Ray Jones, who pitched the only win last year, reported to practice

late, but is having no trouble getting into condition. Edward Piper has more speed this year, and his knowledge of the game has increased.

Howie Rogers, Foozy Findley, Ralph Deason, Ralph Hunt, and Billy Cotton seem to be the top newcomers to the pitching staff.

Hunt, who pitched four wins against only one defeat for Ole Miss in 1957, could very well be the top man from this group if he gets into top condition after a two year lay off.

Deason had shown excellent control until a sore arm developed last week. If this arm

trouble improves he will be in the thick of the battle for the top starting spots along with Piper, Jones, Rogers, Findley, Hunt, and Cotton.

The situation behind the plate seems to be in capable hands. The number one catcher from last year's squad, Warren Scott, is back; and first year men Ralph Thrasher and Gene Goree are on hand to give Scott a battle for the number one position.

At the moment Thrasher seems to have the upper hand in the battle. He has all the necessary equipment for catching, and it looks now as if he will be number one.

Now Intercollegiate Baseball
To Be Played On Campus

by Earl Lewis

Alabama College is now the proud owner of one of the top baseball fields in the state, and we expect to field a team to compare favorably with the field.

The more support the student body gives the team, the better ball they will play.

Our schedule now consists of eight home games, and it is my opinion that every A.C. student should make it a point to see at least four of those games.

There will be no Alabama College Swimming and Diving Team this year due to the fact that there is no one in this state to compete against.

Coach Floyd Anderson made this announcement at a meeting of the men who had been working out in preparation for the meets which we had hoped for.

He said that Alabama College would definitely have a team next year however, and that Huntingdon, Birmingham Southern, and Troy had implied that they would have teams for us to compete against.

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3. Do you think that political candidates should write their own speeches instead of using a "ghost writer"?

YES ☐ NO ☐



4. Given the choice, would you prefer having an apartment of your own to living at home with your parents?

YES ☐ NO ☐



5. Do you prefer a salesman who is anxious to make a quick sale to one who will patiently answer all your questions about the product?

YES ☐ NO ☐



6. When arriving late for a party, are you inclined to join a group of close friends rather than attempting to strike up new acquaintances?

YES ☐ NO ☐



7. If you met somebody with a beard, would you tend to consider him "off-beat" and treat him with reserve?

YES ☐ NO ☐



8. Are you normally reluctant to go on a "blind date"?

YES ☐ NO ☐



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CONGRATULATIONS
WINNERS!

Student Government Officers Are Elected ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Plans Are Made For 1959-60 Session



JANICE WOOD
... New President



SHIRLEY BAKER
... Vice-President

Other Leaders Take Office

Janice Wood, a junior majoring in sociology, will take over as the 1959-60 president of the Student Government Association. She defeated Bobby Harrison in a run-off vote March 19. Roy Hilton was eliminated in the first round.

Shirley Baker was named vice-president of the SGA, defeating Ann Nabors and Donald Jacks on March 18.

In the run-off for secretary of the student government were Becky Martin who won over Betty Frost. Eliminated in the first round were Peggy Capell, Frances Torricelli, Pat Smith, and Carolyn McInnis.

Other Student Government officers elected were: Linda Sparkman, Social Chairman; Flora Clarke, Senate President; Clyde Hoffman, Chief Justice; Betty Baker, Associate Justice; Celeste Parker, President of Women's Court, and Jij Wilson, Vice-President of Women's Court.

Officers chosen for the Recreation Association were: Joyce Willis, President; Pat Kelly, Vice-President; Billie Anderson, Secretary; and Mary Thornton, Treasurer.

Taking over as publication heads were: Michael Haywood, Radio Station Manager; Sylvia Pound, Alabamian Editor; Kitty Stansell, Alabamian Business Manager; Etta Lou Shipp, Montage Editor; and LaVondra Harding, Montage Business Manager.



BECKY MARTIN
... Secretary



CLYDE HOFFMAN
... Chief Justice

Janice Wood, Shirley Baker Win Votes For Top Positions

Winning the top SGA positions for the 1959-60 session are Janice Wood, Clanton, and Shirley Baker, Eufaula.

Janice will serve as the president of Student Government. She has been active in previous SGA

work, having served at its Vice-President this year.

She had this to say following the announcement of the winners: "I am very grateful for the opportunity given me by the students of Alabama College. I sincerely promise to do my best in this position."

Serving as Vice-President will be Shirley Baker. Too, Shirley has experience in Student Government.

This past year she was president of the Sophomore Class and a member of the Executive Council.

Village Players Will Give Play

The Village Players, one of the nation's most acclaimed theatrical companies, will present Jan de Hartog's hilarious comedy, "the Four Poster," March 24 at Alabama College.

A unique feature of the play is that production includes only two characters. Making this year's are Will Sandy and Margery MacDaniel. The 1958-59 tour marks the fourth year the troupe has been appearing in theatres across the nation.

For this tour the players have chosen the Hartog comedy that ran 79 weeks on Broadway, was a television success, and was made into a popular movie. "The Four Poster" was recently revived with the original cast of Hume Cronyn and Jessica Tandy.

John Chapman, theatre critic of the New York Daily News called the play "the most charming of comedies." Set in six scenes, the play relates events in the married lives of "two quite normal—even ordinary—people. Its message is the simplest of the simple: Mama loves Papa. Its charm is great... the bed is the play, but 'The Four Poster' is no sex farce. It is a gentle, beautifully mannered, human comedy in which the article of furniture is the symbol rather than the center of married life."

This year marks the first time they have presented a full length play complete with authentic costumes, special lighting and sound effects.

This is also the first year for the Village Players to appear at Alabama College.



Last minute preparations for the SGA dance decorations were made by Mr. and Mrs. Darrol Pharris. Darrol is the present SGA social chairman.

SGA Dance Presented Executive Council

By Larry Simpson

The annual SGA dance, held in Bibb Graves Hall, March 21, 1959, had as its theme "Alice in Wonderland". Music was furnished by the Kiwanians, a ten piece orchestra with a female vocalist. Intermission entertainment was furnished by "The Skirts", a close harmony quartet from Alabama College.

In charge of arrangements were: music and entertainment, Darrol Pharris; refreshments, Amalia

Eppes and Frances Trest; seating, Sarah Wright and Phyllis Tate; ticket sales, Jean Finley; lighting, Frances Benton and Lorna West.

Officers of the 1958-59 SGA presented in the leadout were:

President, Neal Shirley; Vice-President, Janice Wood; Secretary, Ann Nabors; Treasurer, Roma Creel; Social Chairman, Darrol Pharris; Senate President, Bertha Masterson; Chief Justice, Jennie Cotney.

Montage Editor, Jane Graham;

Alabamian Editor, Katherine Morton; Tower Editor, Bob Murray; Radio Station Manager, Harvey Fleming, Jr.; Recreation Association President, Sue Swann; Senior Class President, Patty Talley; Junior Class President, Christine Angele; Sophomore Class President, Shirley Baker; Freshman Class President, Frank Ellis.

President of the Inter-House Council, Barbara White; President of the Men's Court, R. G. Hilton; President of the Women's Court, Barbara Walker.

Becky Martin, Clyde Hoffman Assume New Responsibilities

Again this year, a male student will assume one of the top SGA offices for the first time in the history of Alabama College.

Clyde Hoffman, Chatom, is now the first male Chief Justice of the Joint Court. Clyde has previously served on the Men's Court and in other SGA offices.

Regarding his new position, Clyde said: "I recognize the honor that has been given to me when I was chosen the first male Chief Justice. I will do my best to live up to this high honor."

As the incoming Student Government Secretary will be Becky

Martin from Wetumpka. She is a freshman this year and has been active in Student Government work.

Dance Is Planned For April 18

Preparations for the Freshman-Sophomore dance are getting underway. A large group of members of both classes are working under the leadership of the following committee chairmen:

Theme—Betty Frost and Becky Broom; Decorations — Eleanor Shotts and Mary Jo Alfano; Invitations—Mary Carter and Carolyn Clark; Lighting—Janice Clark and Jij Wilson; Refreshments—Roshelle Orr, Jenny Johnson and Emily Braley.

Entertainment—Joan Murphree and Faye Cotton; Publicity—Mickey Luck and Liz Autry; Bids—Ronnie Smith and Bobbie Hopkins; Restoration — Charles Bates and Jimmy Eddings.

Colonial Dames Sponsor Contest

Again this year the Colonial Dames of America through the social science division is sponsoring an essay contest. The subject of the essays will concentrate on American history preceding 1820 and specifically dealing with political, economic, social, religious, or literary aspects.

These essays should be typewritten and include footnotes and bibliography which follow good research practices. The contest is open to all students enrolled at Alabama College.

Dr. Lucille Griffith is in charge of this contest and will be glad to give assistance to anyone interested.

Rewards will include a first prize of \$50 and a second prize of \$25 which will be awarded at the Honors Day Convocation.

The deadline for the contest is April 15.

College Regulation Is Security Measure

During the past two weeks there has been some voice of disapproval by the students in regard to the policy of requiring those returning after closing hours to sign with the nightwatchman.

No doubt, many read the policy and began complaining without actually looking into it and without actually finding out the reasons behind it.

The policy in itself is not new—it is merely a means of strengthening our security on campus. We are fortunate in having the security measures that are now practiced.

The regulation was not passed to catch students who are slipping out and in without signing out. Instead, its purpose is to prevent unauthorized persons from being on the campus after closing hours.

Previously, there has been too much traffic on the campus after dormitory closing hours. No longer may the college campus be used as a thoroughfare for any traffic that is not authorized.

In this manner, by requiring those who come on the campus, after the dormitories close, to sign in with the nightwatchman, it is now possible to know exactly who is on campus and their purpose in being here.

Not only does the policy apply to students, but it also holds for faculty, administration, and visitors to the campus. The system of requiring persons to sign will only serve as a check to make sure that the records are accurate.

Therefore, its purpose will be fulfilled, in that the security of the students will be strengthened in addition to the protection of any campus property, by requiring all who come on campus after closing hours to check in.

Wanted For A.C. Students: Positive Approach

The age old question of what is right and what is wrong is confronted by everyone in each day. Yet, on our campus there seems to be a unique modification of this situation. As has been illustrated by the student body there appears a negative approach to any new administrative, or student government ruling that is passed. In other words, if anything is done, this negative criticism shows itself.

Now, the writer is well aware of the fact that everything that is done may not be for the best, and that there will always be some persons who are in opposition to the views of others. But this question is posed: Is it natural for a campus such as ours to have such an abundance of "negative criticism" as we have? Why can't the students look with a positive view toward situations in which they are not in sympathy, instead of immediately causing such an uproar? Why not find out all the facts behind certain rulings or situations and then strive for a "happy medium" solution to these problems in a positive manner. This would mean using some constructive criticism rather than being destructive all the time.

By taking this positive approach and going about things in the right manner solving the little (and sometimes big) campus problems that confront us, it seems that much more pleasant circumstances would result.

From The President's Desk

An institution of higher learning is a very complex organization. In addition to all of the complexities involved in the operation of an educational program, including teaching and research, a college or university administration is responsible for the management of a total operation comparable to, and including, the activities and programs of a municipality. Further complications are provided in a faculty-student oriented institution, when three executive branches of government exist—students, faculty and administration, but these branches can exist and operate in harmony.

There are many important factors involved in the successful operation of a college. All of these factors, which could be identified, are important, though some are more important than others. In no situation is the statement, "a chain is no stronger than its weakest link", more directly applicable than in an institution of higher learning.

Among the many important factors absolutely essential for success are complete cooperation among all groups and loyalty to the standards and ethics of the institution. When one finds himself in direct conflict with either, he should attempt to resolve the matter through proper and established channels. Should the matter not be resolved, because of an unreconcilable conflict, the individual should move to a "climate" more conducive to his *modus operandi*.

Since my arrival at Alabama College, I have devoted much time and expended great energy in a conscientious effort to produce a co-operative team, involving students, faculty and staff. The first effort has been directed toward some consolidation, coordination, understanding and cooperation within the individual units. This procedure is necessary, not to array one group against the other, but more importantly, to bring about cohesion within each group, so that the three general areas can be welded into a single-purposed unit whose major objectives always represent the best interests of the college.

The student body has created its appropriate administrative division.

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HERE'S TO EXAMS

Letter To The Editor

(The opinions expressed in Letters to the Editor are not necessarily those of the Editor or of the Alabamian Staff.)

Napier Hall
Alabama College
March 12, 1959

Dear Editor:

I suppose I should be the last person to voice a complaint of the sort I am about to make. There is little inconvenience caused to myself by the late ruling concerning the check-in at Phillips Hall by late returning students. And, it is very unlikely that I should be affected by the ruling in fact. On the other hand I am affected inasmuch as the principle of trust I have enjoyed heretofore is being affected.

I realize that many people who will read this will probably scoff or laugh, or they will pass it off as a lame-brained excuse for liberalism from someone who calls anything that is distasteful or inconvenient a "sacred principle." It might be passed over by others on the grounds that the many aspects of student control is not completely understood nor appreciated by the writer—and that might be a very real possibility.

Since this ruling came into effect I have heard many gripes about it. Some of them were heated and indignant, some were sarcastic and reflected disgust. However, to a large degree the majority of the students demonstrated a quiet feeling of honest upset. They feel that they are not being treated as adults and they are uneasy to state their attitude mildly.

Perhaps his ruling came about because we don't always act adultly and goof-up now and then. Perhaps some of the indignation is childish. Some of it, I feel, certainly reflects an honest conviction that they aren't completely and wholly trusted.

From this arises the question, Can a college student be trusted completely? Not all of them, at least not to the same degree. Because within a large group there are always a representative percentage of that group who do not always measure up to the particular standards of conduct that merit trust.

But even those who do, must be allowed an area for deviation from those standards, or those standards must be flexible to allow for human frailty. Personally, I feel that trust gives rise to faith in most cases, and without that trust a state of suspicion arises.

One of the more important things I feel a college student might learn, at least those on their own for the first time, is to make decisions for themselves.

Certainly they often dive into the shallow end of the pool and bang their head on the bottom, and at times they need mature

and sensible guidance from someone who has had similar knocks and who possesses the wisdom for objective judgment. But there must be trust from those who guide and they must be careful so that they don't become a crutch instead of a helping hand.

Perhaps the students here have not demonstrated enough maturity or good judgment to be handed the responsibility of thinking wisely in making personal decisions. This is altogether possible. There has certainly been evidence of this—that cannot, and must not be denied. And the position of those who are concerned with the moral conduct and sensible behavior of the students must be considered and appreciated.

Nevertheless, I think that this latest measure has placed in the minds of otherwise sensible students a defiant attitude that could be dangerous if they allow it to develop unwisely. An "I'll show them attitude" has rarely resulted in any happy end.

To those who have been accustomed to trust, it is disheartening to find themselves in a position where this trust is denied. Perhaps this is a magnification of the problem. Whatever it might be, I am bothered by it along with many other students and I don't feel that it will be lessened by ignoring it, or by the passing time, or by graduation.

Sincerely,

JAMES E. BRANTLEY

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TOWER TALKS

Just the other day, I was thumbing through Motive magazine and I found some more of the Charlestonese that I told you about once before. Here are some

that I thought you might enjoy:

BUN—Consume by heat, i.e., "When you make toe-est, don't bun the braid."

CANE-CHEW— Aren't you able to, i.e., "Cane chew talk like a good Charlestonian?"

CONDUIT—Im- possible of accomplishment.

CUP—A place called home by hens, i.e., "Where's Woolly? Woolly's payntin' the hen cup."

FRUSTRATE— Tops; initial rating.

GROAN— Increasing in size.

PRE-SHADE— Grateful for, i.e., "I pre-shade the compliment."

RAH-CHAIR— Where you are at. **SANE—** Speaking, i.e., "I can hardly hair what he's sane."

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It seems as if I was awakened from my slumber last Tuesday night by strains of the "Death March". Well, the Seniors did decide to march, but I think I had been expecting them for quite a while. I, too, enjoyed the productions—the Freshman Reception, the Sophomore College Night, and the Junior Class Elections.

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I don't suppose there's any need in my telling you that it's about time for mid-term exams and after that — SPRING HOLIDAYS. Maybe the finals are worth all the worry and anxiety when you know that you have a whole week in which to rest.

* * *

Yes, it's that time once again—I'm referring to the recent SGA elections and all the plans for next year. Here we are with new officers, new plans for our Student Government, and many wonderful opportunities.

Let's work together and use these opportunities that await us to the best advantage. Let's make Student Government at Alabama College something of which we can be even more proud.

Many congratulations to the new officers and Good Luck.

This editor wants to say how much I have enjoyed "just chatting" with you this year. However, as all things must draw to a close, it is now time for me to step aside for the new Tower Talks and for your 1959-60 Alabamian Editor — Sylvia Pound.

Named Wilson Fellow

Senior President Receives Fellowship

Climaxing an intensive nationwide talent hunt for future college teachers, the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation has named 1,200 superior American and Canadian students as Woodrow Wilson Fellows.

A Wilson Fellow selected for the academic year 1959-1960 from Alabama College is Patty Talley from Demopolis, Ala. Her field of study will be European History at Tulane University.

Going directly to the heart of education's most urgent problem—the critical shortage of qualified teachers—the Woodrow Wilson Fellowship program recruits and supports promising scholars for their first year of graduate study. The project is backed by a \$25 million grant from the Ford Foundation.

This year's Wilson Fellows were chosen from 7,000 candidates, all nominated and all rigorously screened by committees of faculty members. These candidates came from over 700 undergraduate colleges.

Elected Wilson Fellows will begin graduate work next fall at 80 different universities. Each Fellow



PATTY TALLEY

receives a living allowance of \$1,500 plus the full cost of tuition and fees. Married students receive additional stipends.

In this year's group of winners, there are 875 men and 325 women. Of these, 38% are planning to take courses in the humanities; 34% in the social sciences and 28% in the natural sciences and mathematics.

Alpha Lambda Delta Taps 11 Members

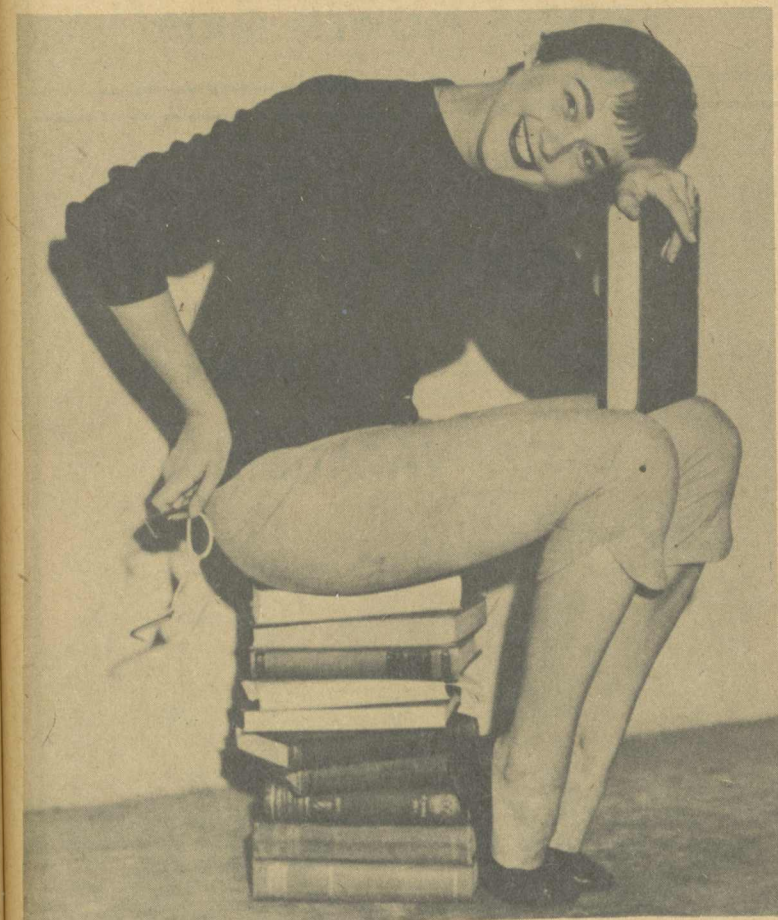
Eleven students earned membership in Alpha Lambda Delta, freshmen women's honorary fraternity. They are Helen Brasfield, Peggy Capell, Mrs. Lola T. Christiansen, Ellen Clyde Cook, Judy Davis, Irma Harrell, Margaret Jeffres, Sara Jeter, Elizabeth

Lusk, Joan Murphree, and Sharon Summers, Freshmen, and Mary Ethel Horne and Margaret Stallworth, Sophomores.

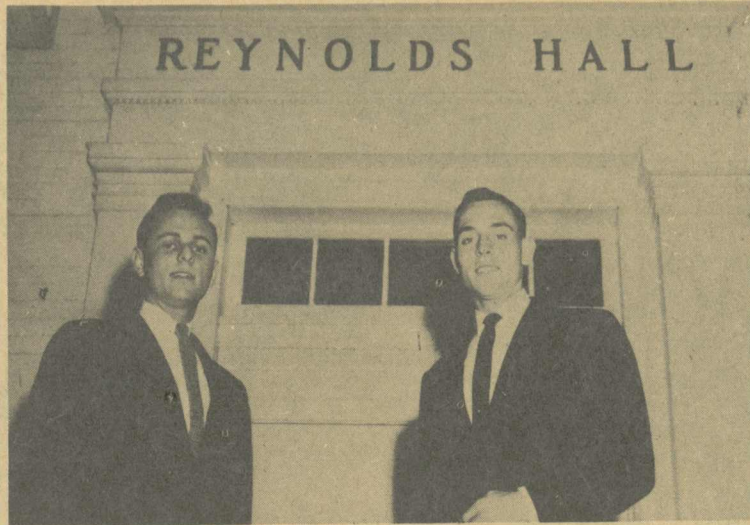
Membership in Alpha Lambda Delta is based on a 2.5 grade point average for the first semester or for the freshman year cumulative.

Future Features

March 21—SGA Dance, Bibb Graves Hall
March 22—Recital, Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, Calkins Hall
March 25—The Four Poster, Palmer Hall
March 27—Spring Holidays begin
April 6—Spring Holidays end
April 7—International Relations Club meeting
April 13—Organ Concert, Betty Lumby, Palmer Hall
April 14—SGA Officer Installation, Palmer Hall
April 18—Freshman-Sophomore Dance, Bibb Graves Hall



CAMPUS QUEEN: Taking a break from studying for mid-term exams is Louise Golson, a Senior, from Montgomery. Louise, a Biology Medical Technology major, is active in Beta Beta Beta, biology honor fraternity; the Biology Club; and the Newman Club. During her spare time she may be found working in Hanson dormitory office.



REYNOLDS HALL: In front of the building on campus bearing their grandfather's name are Knox Reynolds (left) and Larry Simpson (right).

First College President Has Two Grandsons Enrolled

Trodding the same walks as their great grandfather so many years before them are Larry Simpson and Knox Reynolds, the great grandsons of Captain Henry Clay Reynolds, the first president of Alabama College.

Much has remained the same as in the Captain's day. The town of Montevallo has grown up but slightly. The College has changed physically, but the spirit by which it was established remains the same. Larry and Knox did not see A. C. during Captain Reynolds' day, but they have made frequent visits to the town most of their lives.

Larry and Knox, both Sophomores, were not drawn to the campus only by the memory of their great grandfather. Both like the town of Montevallo, and they also feel that A. C. has what they want and need for the furtherment of their educations. The scenic beauty of the campus was no less an attraction.

Similarities are few in the cousins, aside from their common descent and birthdate. Both were born on March 10, while Captain Reynolds celebrated March 11 as his birthday.

Here the similarities almost cease for Larry is a History major who plans a career of teaching in college. Knox is a pre-dental student anxious to begin practice.

Larry is from Birmingham and was graduated from Leeds High School in Leeds, Alabama. His extracurricular activities adhere closely to his professional interests. He is a member of the International Relations Club, the Alabama Historical Society, the Mississippi Valley Historical Association as well as the *Alabamian* staff and the Presbyterian Choir.

Knox also is from Birmingham where he was graduated from West End High School. His major interests are in the sciences and he delights in most forms of outdoor recreation, particularly water skiing.

You would think cousins might agree on a College Night side and start a family tradition, but not Larry and Knox. Larry is a staunch Gold and Knox remains an ardent Purple.

On this one point they both agree: A. C. is a fine school and they're proud of the work that their great grandfather did in establishing it.

College Theatre Presents Plans For Next Play

On the nights of March 19 and 20, the College Theatre presented "Glass Menagerie" written by Tennessee Williams. The play was presented at 8:15 p.m. in Reynolds Auditorium.

The cast consisted of AMANDA, a Southern middle-aged mother, portrayed by Polly Holliday; her two children, TOM, portrayed by Harris Holly, and LAURA, portrayed by Beckie Gantt; and JIM, the gentleman caller, portrayed by Tom Skinner. The stage manager was Margie Lane; lighting by Bob Murray, and sound effects and music by B. J. Knowles.

"Desire Under the Elms" by Eugene O'Neill has been cancelled, but in its place the College Theatre is producing a fantastical farce, "Blithe Spirit", by Noel Coward.

The tentative cast is Jo Anne Mynard as Ruth, James Brantly as Charles, Margie Lane as Madame Arcati, Jo Veal as Elvira, Leroy Swanner as Dr. Bradman, and Gail Nudelman as Edith. The part of Mrs. Bradman will be played by Phyllis Tate. "Blithe Spirit" will be presented on the dates of April 23 and 24.

Science Academy Award Won By Darrol Pharris

Darrol Pharris, a senior from Sikeston, Mo., received the Alabama Academy of Science Student Research Award. This award was presented March 14, at the annual AAS meeting at Auburn.

The title of his paper was "Some Notes on the Cytology of a Mouse Tumor—Carcoma I. Ascites." Darrol is also submitting this paper at the annual Association of Southeastern Biologists meeting at Knoxville, Tenn., in April.

The research has been his project in the Special Problems in Biology course, under the direction of Dr. Paul Bailey, Chairman of the Biology Department.

After graduation, with a B.S. degree in Biology, in August, Darrol plans to do graduate work in Bacteriology.

Last year was the first time that this award was given. Alabama College also received this honor last year when Elizabeth Stewart was granted the award.

Also attending the meeting held in Auburn were Dr. Paul Bailey, Dr. Gideon Nelson, and Dr. David Cotter. Dr. Nelson was in charge of judging the Junior Academy exhibits, and Dr. Cotter served as one of the judges. Dr. Bailey will continue to serve as editor of the Academy Journal.

Senate Passes New Ruling

The Student Senate of Alabama College has recommended:

"That the next to the last paragraph on page 106 of the Student Government Handbook be rearranged to read as follows:

"Conventional dress is worn in the dancing section of the Tea House every night and all day on Sundays. At such times students wearing blue jeans or bermudas may enter the Tea House through the Loafing Porch to make purchases. However, on Sundays they are expected to leave immediately after completing purchases.

"Short shorts may not be worn in any part of the Tea House except during the day by students in physical education attire. These students may enter by way of the loafing porch to make purchases, but they should leave immediately after completing purchases."

Add the following sentence to the third paragraph on page 106.

"Short shorts may not be worn on campus. However, it is permissible for students to wear them coming to and from Physical Education classes and when going to and from dorms. In these exceptions there should be no loitering on campus unless necessary.

Leotards must be covered when worn on campus at all times.

Members of the Student Senate escorted Honor Scholarship students to their dorms on March 12.

Drama Festival Is "Successful"

Sixty-nine junior and senior high school students attended the 18th annual Walter H. Trumbauer Drama Festival on campus.

The two-day festival was highlighted by the productions and various workshops in which the schools participated.

Dr. Andrew J. Kochman, director of the Alabama College Theatre, summed up the festival as "Successful in every aspect!"



DARROL PHARRIS

STUDENTS SEE OPERAS

The Alabama College Opera, under the direction of the Music Department and the College Theatre, was presented in two performances last week.

"Sunday Excursion" and "Slow Dusk" composed the double bill program.

The operas were under the direction of Bruce Tolbert, associate professor of music.

CHURCH CHIMES

Baptist Student Union

Future events for the Baptists include a B.S.U. methods study April 9, a Training Union party April 11 centered around the theme, "April Love", and a revival April 12-19. This year's annual B.S.U. banquet, held March 14, was entitled CAFE' SUR LE TROTTIER. The food, the setting, and the entertainment were each French.

Newman Club

Panel discussions concerning the precepts and doctrines of the Catholic Church are the Catholic plans for their weekly meetings at 7:00 p.m. on Mondays.

Church of Christ

Bible study on Thursday led by Mr. Kenneth Reed of the University of Alabama plus the Sunday morning Bible class which is studying Corinthians constitute the activities of the Church of Christ students.

Canterbury Club

Episcopalians are holding vesper services at 5:30 throughout Lent which will continue through Holy Week. A special Lenten service is planned for Wednesday at 5:00. After Easter, a Bach cantata will be presented.

Wesley Fellowship

Holy Week plans for Methodist students center around the revival services March 22-27 at 7:15-7:50 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. An introductory reception Sunday night at 8:30, breakfast each morning for students, and a discussion session Wednesday night at 8:30 are the highlights of the week. The annual Wesley banquet is scheduled for April 11.

Presbyterian

Christianity and Politics: Do they mix? is the current topic of discussion for the Westminster Fellowship. Presbyterian activities include breakfast (9:30) a.m. and Sunday School every Sunday morning, plus dessert and fellowship on Sunday nights. Dessert comes at 6:30 and fellowship is immediately after church services.

Unitarian

The Liberal Fellowship of Montevallo continues to meet Sunday nights, usually at 7:30, in the Girl Scout Hut. All persons are welcome.

Programs in the near future will include personal visits by the Rev. Davis Yeuell, Tuscaloosa; the Rev. Clifton G. Hoffman, Atlanta, Ga.; and Rabbi Harry Merfeld, Birmingham. Detailed announcements will be made.

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One way to learn a language is to speak it agree these students who are planning to attend the Summer European Seminar. Thus, along with the help of our foreign students on campus, they will speak French and German at the dinner meal each night. The students are, left to right: Pat Herrod, Crystal Ludwig, Christine Angele, Margie Lane, Sara Lou Berry, Beckie Gantt, Paul Kiparsky, and Mr. John Fesperman, advisor to the group.

Alabama College Students Plan For Summer Seminar

Europe bound! These are magic words for the Alabama College students preparing for the European Seminar this summer. Preparation for the tour is well under way, for the students are meeting, reading, and planning.

Parlez-vous francais? Seminar students will be able to use conversational French as soon as plans for the French table are carried out. A special table in Main dining room for the students will be provided. All conversation will be in French, so that a practical French vocabulary can be acquired.

In addition, briefing in the form of lectures and discussion is an integral part of the preparation. At stated times, meetings are held to provide general information and training. Topics, such as "What a Seminar is Not," foreign policy, student life, and attitudes toward leisure, art, etc., are being pursued.

The European students here on campus recently discussed such things as the European lec-

ture system, testing, social life, and student-faculty relationships.

One purpose of the training and lectures is to enable the students to answer the battery of questions that will be asked by the Europeans, such as "What is the U.S. foreign policy?" Furthermore, they will know enough to ask intelligent questions themselves.

Selected reading of not less than eight books is a third aspect of the preparation. Reading from the areas of political,

social, religious, and cultural history; art; and recent English and French fiction, the students are gaining background material.

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'Crosscurrent' Is New Exhibit

"Crosscurrent," an exploration of exchanges in contemporary art between Asia and the West, is on exhibition at Alabama College through April 3.

Among the 54 paintings, prints and drawings in various media are works by American and Asian artists.

Included are works by Abedin from Pakistan, Hasegawa from Japan and Keyt from Ceylon. Paintings by Okada, Sato, Tabuchi and Zao Wou-ki illustrate works of Asian artists living and working in Europe and the United States.

Representative paintings from the West include the works of Franz Kline, Bradley Walker Tomlin, and others. Mark Tobey, Morris Graves and Onslow-Ford exemplify Western painters making deliberate efforts to find Oriental manners of expression within the Western idiom.

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Seventh World Youth Festival To Be Held Outside Iron Curtain

This summer for the first time the World Youth Festival will be held outside the Iron Curtain Countries. In the past, the Youth Festivals have been sponsored by two predominately Communist youth groups. The State Department discourages American attendance, but this year for the first time a group of young non-Communist Americans are organizing their own delegation.

This seventh World Youth Festival will be held July 26 through August 4. The cost of the round trip to the festival will be \$445, including room and board in Vienna.

Anyone between the ages of

sixteen and thirty-five is eligible to go.

Mr. Walter Coppedge, who attended the last Youth Festival in Moscow, had this to say of the festival:

"It was the most exciting, stimulating and worthwhile two weeks that I have ever spent. At a time when the world is being divided into two spheres and Westerners and Communists think of each other in stereotype, it is acutely necessary that we realize the essential humanity of each other.

"There is no alternative to co-existence; if we are to have co-existence, we must understand the Communists' point of view,

and they must understand ours.

"Quite apart from its value as a bridge between the two groups, the festival offers cultural opportunities, theatre music and ballets, of astonishing quality. Moreover, there is a series of seminars ranging from theology to sports, which will cater to every student interest.

"We particularly need mature American students who understand the basic differences between the two systems. For this reason, I do not recommend the participation of an ignorant or highly impressionable youth. On the whole, however, I think we Americans have nothing to lose and everything to gain from going."

A delegation of approximately one hundred from the southern states will be going to this major cultural event. Every country in the world will be represented."

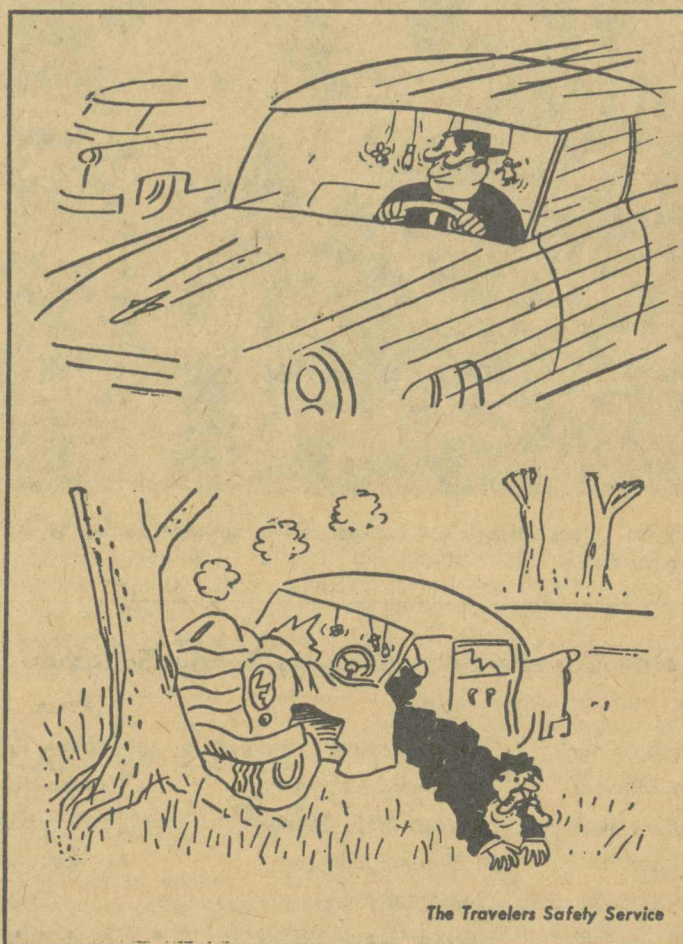
"This is an excellent opportunity for the youth of the world to see the humanity in each other."

"We believe that it provides a unique opportunity of person to person contact and of explaining the American point of view; it is much better to build bridges than erect barriers."

Applications for the Youth Festival may be obtained from Mr. Coppedge.

The Road Toll

by Jerry Marcus



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Alabama College Intercollegiate Tennis Schedule

Date	College	Place
Monday, April 6	Marion Institute	Montevallo
Thursday, April 9	St. Bernard College	Montevallo
Saturday, April 11	Florence State College	Florence
Friday, April 17	St. Bernard College	St. Bernard
Monday, April 20	Troy State College	Troy
Saturday, April 25	Florence State College	Montevallo
Monday, April 27	Huntingdon College	Montevallo
Thursday, April 30	Marion Institute	Marion
Friday, May 1	Birmingham-Southern	Birmingham
Friday, May 8	Huntingdon	Montgomery
Thursday, May 14	Troy State	Montevallo
Friday, May 15	Birmingham-Southern	Montevallo

Home matches will begin at 2:30 p.m. on week days and at 2:00 p.m. on Saturdays.

From The President's Desk

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sions, including the executive and the legislative branches, and it has enacted its rules, regulations and "ground rules." Moreover, it has its judicial body. All of these are clearly stated in the **Student Government Handbook**. Not only is all of this information made available to all students prior to registration, but it is also encumbent upon all new students to become completely familiar with the **Handbook**.

Similarly the faculty, in its meetings and otherwise, has served, individually or as a group, in initiating legislation. Moreover, academic legislation is controlled by the faculty. Each individual, thereafter, is responsible for maintaining the standards and upholding the rules and regulations.

The primary responsibility of the administrative officers is to administer the total program of the college, including the rules and regulations of the student body and the faculty. Rarely does the administration, except in procedural matters, enact rules and regulations. Alabama College has established an administrative organization which has been clearly outlined on an administrative chart. The channels of communication and the "Chains of Command" have been explicitly defined, and they must be followed by all members of the student body, faculty and administrative officers (students and staff).

Shortly after my arrival on the campus, I encouraged the responsible student leaders to make a complete and comprehensive study of SAG, its rules and regulations, and all associated activities. Cojointly, I appointed committees among the faculty to follow a similar procedure. Though the faculty has completed its study, I am not at all sure that many, if any, revisions will be made, especially in the academic rules and regulations. These matters are now being discussed by the faculty in a series of meetings. In so far as I am aware, the work remains to be completed in the SGA.

Admittedly, we probably have too many rules and regulations, and some of them have become outmoded. But everyone in the college must be made to realize that it takes time to institute changes and revisions. If logical procedures are followed through the transition period in which Alabama College is involved, some of these matters will have to evolve naturally. Certainly worthy accomplishments can not be anticipated by "wand waving." All of us must learn to be a little more patient!

In most cases where there has been reaction to what has been interpreted as new regulations, it can be easily demonstrated that the reaction stems primarily from an appalling lack of knowledge of the regulations of the college. In each case of a regulation that has been called to my attention, the rule usually has existed for years, for example, a check on women students returning after hours, late permission, etc. There are other cases that could be cited. In no case has the "new administration" been responsible.

In my opinion, any rule that isn't worthy of enforcement should be eliminated. Moreover, during my administration, the rules and regulations enacted by the students and faculty will be enforced in an equitable manner.

Sports Tidbits

The Physical Education Club held its annual banquet March 17 in Anna Irving Dining Hall at 6:00.

The program was conducted by the president, Gene McCutchen, who introduced the speaker for the evening, Miss Alfreida Moss-crop. Miss Mosscrop was the former head of the Physical Education Department prior to Dr. McCall.

In her speech entitled "Past, Present, Future" referring to the Physical Education Department of Alabama College, she commented on the status of it during her career at Alabama College and remarked on the immense improvement.

Decorations used carried out a St. Patrick theme.

Catalina Club

The Catalina Club, sponsored by the physical education department, recently held elections.

Officers chosen were; president, Christel Ludewig; vice-president, Mary Ellen Brhun; secretary, Tommie Lou Waldrop; publicity chairman, Liz Autury. These officers will act as officer elects and will help to conduct the annual water show May 6, 7.

Orchesis

The Orchesis Club, under the leadership of Miss Catherine Carlson, recently inducted new members.

Students accepted were: Judy Cain, Virginia Wilson, Mary Lou Humphreys, Denny Elliott, Becky Williams, Jerry Ann Melton, and Carolyn Clark.

Name the Team

Entries have now been accepted for Name the Team contest, and the winner will be announced in the next issue of the *Alabamian*.

SPORTS QUIZ

Questions

1. What baseball team has first ranking in the American League?
2. What baseball team has first ranking in the National League?
3. Who will contend for the Welterweight title April 24?
4. Who is now leading in the Jack Kramer Tennis group?

Answers

1. Boston.
2. Los Angles.
3. Don Jordan, titleholder, and Virgil Akins, challenger.
4. Pancho Gonzales.

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In men's baseball practice, Jack Doherty is sliding in for a base.

Editor Makes Survey In Baseball, Tennis

by Earl Lewis

April 6th, the day after we return from spring holidays, will be the opening date of the 1959 season for both Alabama College's baseball and tennis teams. Both will take on squads from Marion Institute. As most of you know this will be the second year that we have had intercollegiate baseball, and the first for tennis.

I have watched both Coach Lightfoot's baseball squad, and Coach Anderson's tennis team work out; and going on what I have seen, I would venture to say that A.C.'s losing streak is over after one year. In my opinion the 1959 baseball is far enough ahead of the '58 squad that they could not be compared, and I feel that the tennis team will also give a good account of itself against any of the teams on the twelve match schedule.

Activity on the diamond has been slowed somewhat due to the rain; however, I believe that the boys will have had enough work by April 6th to be ready for the Cadets from Marion.

Several baseballers have looked very good in practice, and I would like to mention some of them here. Don Miller, a slick fielder as well as a good stick man, is the outstanding shortstop on the squad. Don comes to us from nearby Clanton where he was a very good high school athlete. He has played baseball nearly all of his life and has never hit under .300. From where I stood, Edward Piper and Foozy Findley seemed to be the top pitchers with Ray Jones and Jerry Gregg close behind. Ralph Deason and Ralph Hunt have also shown good stuff, and if they can overcome the obstacles of a sore arm and not being in shape, respectively, they will be in the race for the top spot. A few of the other boys who are shaping up nicely are: Ralph Thrasher, and Warren Scott, catchers; Ronnie Bryant, first base; Joe Earl Foshee, Neal Shirley, and Eb Eber, outfield; and Kent Lowery third base. The second base

situation seemed in good hands with last year's regular Zoot Fulford on hand; however, at this writing Zoot has announced that he was retiring from his baseball career. We all hope that Zoot will return to the team even though Jerry Harrison has shown that he has the potential to take over at the keystone bag. Donnie Jacks, last year's captain, was looking good in left field before he injured his ankle. He will return to the squad in a few weeks.

Yaco Avila, the newly elected team captain and winner of last fall's intramural tennis tournament, is probably the top singles tennis player on the team, and fans can look for him to win his share of the matches. Beyond Yaco the race for the other five singles positions and the three doubles teams is wide open. Twelve boys other than Avila are battling for positions as starters.

They are as follows: Arthur Garrett, team co-captain; Don Mahone, Ellis Faught, Jim Eddins, Sid Godfrey, Carl Horn, Phil Savino, Bobby Harrison, Clement Lehmen, Don Pruett, John Scott, and Bill Gaines. Garrett and Mahone have had a good deal of experience in tennis, and are looking very good at the present. Some others who have not had as much experience, but who have improved greatly and will be in the running for the top positions are Godfrey, Faught, and Eddins.

I will now make two predictions; one is that the team will win a good percentage of its matches, and two that John Scott and Arthur Garrett will be either the number one or number two doubles team. They work very well together, and should bring home several victories.

The main factor in winning ball games or tennis matches is of course to have good athletes, however, the students who do not participate actively in sports can also contribute to winning, so go out to the ball park or tennis courts and support your team; they will play better if they know that the student body is behind them.

Alabama College 1959 Baseball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Game Site	Time
April 6	Marion Institute	Montevallo	3:00 p.m.
April 8	Livingston State College	Livingston	
April 9	St. Bernard College	Montevallo	
April 11	Southern Union College	Wadley	3:00 p.m.
April 17	St. Bernard College	St. Bernard	
April 18	Jacksonville State College	Montevallo	
April 20	Troy State College	Troy	2:00 p.m.
April 25	Troy State College	Montevallo	
April 28	Howard College	Montevallo	
April 30	Marion Institute	Marion	3:00 p.m.
May 1	Athens College	Montevallo	
May 7	Livingston State College	Montevallo	
May 9	Athens College	Athens	3:00 p.m.
May 12	Jacksonville State College	Jacksonville	
May 14	Howard College	Birmingham	
May 16	Southern Union College	Montevallo	2:00 p.m.



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SGA Officers Will Attend Conventions

Delegates from the 1959-60 Student Government Executive Council will journey to Auburn April 24 to attend two student government conventions.

The Alabama Student Government Association will convene simultaneously with the Southern Universities Student Government Association.

Attending the state confab will be: Janice Wood, president; Shirley Baker, vice-president; Clyde Hoffman, chief justice; Flora Clark, senate president; Bobby Harrison, Napier house council president, and Roma Creel.

Representations to the SUSGA meeting will be: Linda Sparkman, social chairman; Etta Lou Shipp, Montage editor; Sid Godfrey, president of men's court; and Jimmy Kendrick, sophomore class president.

Both conventions will schedule meetings to discuss all phases of student life.

Birmingham Band To Play At Dance

The annual Freshman-Sophomore dance will be held tonight, April 18, in the Field House from 8-12 p.m. Although the theme is to be a surprise, Shirley Baker, sophomore class president, said, "There will be a different, unique half-time entertainment, and refreshments will be served."

Buddy Harris' orchestra of Birmingham has been engaged. The lead-out will consist of officers from each class and their dates.

Formal attire is required, but corsages are not recommended. Bids, if purchased from the representatives in each dorm, will be \$2.75 a couple. If bought at the door, they will be \$3.00 a couple. Stag prices are \$1.50.

Sophomore Class officers to be featured in the lead-out are: Shirley Baker, president; Christel Ludewig, vice president; Bobbie Hopkins, secretary; Barbara Walker, treasurer.

Freshman Class officers are: Frank Ellis, president; Jim Kendrick, vice president; Sue Dabbs, secretary; Madge Barnard, treasurer.

'60 Class Leaders Selected For Next Academic Session

The officers of the incoming senior, junior, and sophomore classes have been elected.

Senior class officers are: president, Frances Benton; vice-president, Frances Trest; secretary, Jeanette Crew; treasurer, Peggy Thompson.

The six senators for the class include Pattie Crawford, Linda Dunkin, Emily Greene, Pru Menzies, Sara Ann Smith, and Margaret Tait. The justices are Priscilla Bryant and Joyce Chitwood.

The junior class has chosen: president, Laura Bailey; vice-president, Jane Ingram; secretary,



"CONGRATULATIONS, IT'S A BIG JOB"—Says outgoing Student Body President Neal Shirley to the newly installed 1959-60 President, Janice Wood. Eavesdropping on the words of advice are other new student government officers (left to right) Radio Station Manager Mike Haywood, Recreation Association President Joyce Willis; Alabamian Business Manager Kitty Stansell; Women's Court President Celeste Parker; Recreation Association Treasurer Mary Thornton; and Student Government Secretary Becky Martin.

College Theatre To Present Last Play Coward's "Blithe Spirit" April 23, 24

Blithe Spirit, an improbable farce in three acts, is the next theatre performance of the Alabama College Theatre. It is scheduled for April 23, 24.

The cast is made up of: Edith, a maid played by Gail Nudelman; Ruth Condomine, the leading character portrayed by Jo Ann Mynard; Ruth's husband Charles, James Brantley; Dr. Bradman, Leroy Swanner; his wife, Mrs. Bradman, Terry Vardaman; Madame Arcati, Margie Lane; and the spirit, Elvira Condomine, Phyllis Tate.

The setting of the play is the Condomine living room in Kent, England.

The story begins with a gathering at the Condomine home. The Bradmans and Madame Arcati have come to a seance for information on a book by Charles. At the seance they conjure Elvira, who is seen only by Charles and is not wanted by the other members of the play. Elvira tries to take Charles back by having him killed. The plot develops from this point.

Judy Lance is stage manager for the production, under the

direction of Dr. Andrew Kochman, director of College Theatre.

The cast is experienced in theatre work. Gail Nudelman, a freshman, was the stage manager for The Way of the World. Jo Ann Mynard, a junior, has served as secretary of Theatre Council and was a member of the cast of Hedda Gabler.

Sophomore James Brantley has been active in writing short stories. Leroy Swanner, a freshman, participated in one of the previous plays, The Way of the World. Margie Lane has served as Theatre Council president and is a member of the National Collegiate Players. She has been active in the publicity for every play this year.

Terry Vardaman, a junior majoring in music, is a new student transferring from Virginia Intermont College. Phyllis Tate, freshman, has also participated in many activities.

Will Team Be A. C. Falcons?

Ronald Smith is the winner of the best mascot name to the "Name The Team" contest. His entry was "The Falcons". Since Alabama College began participating in intercollegiate sports, a drive has been instigated to secure a suitable nickname.

The committee appointed by Dr. Howard Phillips voted "The Falcons" as their choice. Smith will be awarded the \$25 prize in convocation on April 28. Dr. Phillips will make the presentation.

Due to the few submissions, the judging committee chose not to accept the name but to consider it with other suggestions. The committee worked with representatives from the athletic department.

Under the sponsorship of the Alabamian, this is the second contest held in an effort to gain student interest.

John Sparkman To Speak At Citizenship Program

Senator John Sparkman will be the principal speaker at the Citizenship Day Convocation on April 21. Senator Sparkman will be introduced by President Howard Phillips.

Citizenship Day, begun by the Class of 1944, is the occasion on which the seniors take the Citizenship Oath and are reminded of their obligations as citizens in a democracy. By taking the oath, the seniors pledge themselves to be good citizens. Citizenship Day is also an occasion for the faculty and administration to honor the seniors.

Montage Editor Wins Merit Medal

Jane Graham, editor of the 1958-59 Montage, is the winner of the Medal of Merit award. This award is presented by Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary journalism fraternity, for contributions to the campus.

Alabama College's local chapter selects the recipient who must be approved by the Grand Council of Pi Delta Epsilon.

Retiring editor of the Montage, Jane was active on the staff before assuming editorship.

Jane was recently awarded a fellowship to Tulane University where she will continue her work in the biology field.

The award is presented annually to a senior outstanding in journalism.

\$2,000 Painting Given To College

The Alabama Art Department received a painting valued at \$2,000 Thursday night at the Gallery Talk in Comer Hall.

The painting was presented by Miss Lucy Goldthwaite, who was present at the talk. The painting is the work of her aunt, Ann Goldthwaite.

Ann Goldthwaite is a famous Alabama painter who has works in the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the National Gallery in Washington.

Preceding the gallery talk was a dinner honoring Miss Goldthwaite. Composing the guest list were Dr. and Mrs. Howard Phillips, Dean and Mrs. M. L. Orr, Sr., Miss Martha Allen, Mrs. Virginia Barnes, and Mr. David Huntley.

Senate Seeking Handbook Gripes

All year students have been finding things they dislike in the handbook. Now is the time to release those suppressed desires, to tell the Senate what you don't like! Thursday, April 23rd, at 11:00, the Senate will have its first "Gripe Session." Scan through the handbook, jot down any "gripes", and rush them to the session.

This is not a guarantee that everything will be as every member of the student body wishes. The suggestions will reveal what is wanted in the student government and better representation can be gained.

This "Gripe Session" is designed to help with the revising of the handbook. These "gripes" will point out the parts of the handbook that may need revising or clarifying. Student participation is urged. Students are also urged to feel free to attend any Senate meeting.

Gotta Gripe?
See Page 1

House Officers Newly Elected

Officers from the four residence halls were recently chosen for the 1959-1960 term.

The newly elected presidents are Lois Anne Ray, Tutwiler; Bobbie Hopkins, Ramsay; Joan Murphree, Hanson; and Bobby Harrison, Napier. In addition to their regular house duties, they will serve on the Inter-House Council.

Other officers from Tutwiler are Cathy Wilmer, vice president; Jerry Ann Melton, secretary; Joan Raby, treasurer; Mable Austin, social chairman; and Bettie LeGrand, recreation association representative.

The other incoming officers for Ramsay are Emily Braly, vice-president; Caroline Lowe, secretary; Miriam Rhodes, treasurer; Phyllis Traywick, social chairman; and Carolyn Pinson, recreation association representative.

For Hanson the other new officers are Ellen Burch, vice-president; Viva Dean Barnette, secretary; Lorna Teany, treasurer; Elaine Anderson, social chairman; and Sharon Hodson, recreation association representative.

The other new officers for Napier are Donnie Jacks, vice-president; Tommy Smith, secretary; Curt Bassett, treasurer; Ralph Thrasher, social chairman; and John Kelly, recreation association representative.

These officers will assume their duties at the opening of the fall session when the classes move into the respective dormitories.

Two Senators were elected also from each dormitory. They are Myra Linholm and Elizabeth Thompson, Tutwiler; Laura Della Gray and Dawn Floyd, Ramsay; Madge Barnard and Janice Jones, Hanson; and Jerry Barton and Monroe Creel, Napier.

Student Government-- For Satisfactory Results

Students elect their student leaders, whose only purpose is service. Recognizing their duty with exceptional keenness, the new "Exec" council has already begun plans for pleasing the students. But the student body has a responsibility also—to use their student organizations. What is the purpose of having non-functional organizations? Only to make a mockery of services.

The Senate is beginning its campaign for better student services with its "gripe" session scheduled for April 23. The *Alabamian* opens its columns for students' opinions, both good and bad. These are only the beginnings. By telling elected leaders what is wanted and expected of them, students will gain better results. "Gripe" as well as praise, but use the SGA and all student organizations, or why have them?

Communication Media Available To Students

College students have the knack of closing their minds to any authoritative ruling which does not suit their individual tastes. Any organization must have rules in order to achieve any type of results. If by any chance these rules do not coincide with personal desires, they are immediately cast off as bad or useless.

College is a process of maturing as well as a process of acquiring knowledge. Acceptance of certain administrative rulings is a part of this maturity.

Earlier this year, Alabama College students were horrified at the construction of a night watchman's stand erected on the edge of the quadrangle. Yet, as soon as the simple protective measure was completed and its purpose clearly understood, the general dissent of the student body was no longer heard. The same outcry was again heard when the new ruling regarding signing-in at the night watchman's stand after ordinary dormitory closing hours.

Good communication between student body and administration is essential. The teahouse bulletin board, convocation, and student newspaper are the chief currents for this essential communication. It does not take much time to investigate and to gain an understanding of the purpose of new rulings before criticizing.

From The President's Desk

The *Alabamian* has a new editor! Moreover, many members of the staff will find themselves in new positions. Congratulations to Miss Sylvia Pound and to her co-workers!

You have one of the most important, but one of the most difficult, assignments at Alabama College. The challenge is great, the assignments interesting, but the work of newspapermen is hard. Gathering and compiling accurate information, writing, composing, meeting deadlines, and the final "make-up", et cetera, are not easily accomplished, even by dedicated, hardworking people. The college generally, and the student body especially, are indebted to you and to all of those students who have contributed to the success of the *Alabamian* in the past.



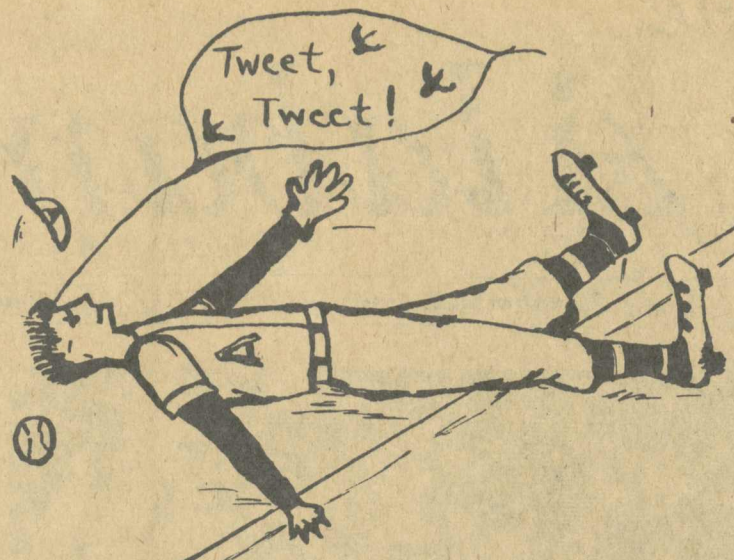
In addition to the abilities and professional competencies required of journalists, they must also possess a tremendous amount of courage. Their courage must be adequately influenced and supported by the ability to make important decisions and to use great discretion—all "tempered" by an appropriate amount of common sense.

Newspapermen are constantly under pressure from every type of individual and group—good or bad. Attempts often are made to use a newspaper for the aggrandizement of unworthy individuals and causes. At times it is very difficult for the editor to determine at what point the freedom of the press begins and ends.

College administrators and responsible student leaders of America are greatly concerned about the future role, and to a greater extent, the future success of college newspapers. It is becoming increasingly difficult to get capable students to work on the college papers. As a result, too many colleges have dropped the newspapers from their student activities. The members of the publication staffs are not discouraged by the hard work required by them; they are discouraged by the lack of interest and student support.

Admittedly, the great strides and important developments in mass communications, mass media, and large daily newspapers have reduced interest in collegiate newspapers. Moreover, a good college newspaper can not afford to concentrate merely on the sensational, because a good college is devoid of what commonly is called sensational. Our excitement and interest stem from, and are based upon, primarily the intellectual activities and their associated operations in the college.

The administration at Alabama College will continue to support to the extent the resources of the college will permit, all worthy student publications, including the *Alabamian*. We solicit your support and enthusiasm: (1) To provide in every possible way the prestige, honor, and recognition justifiably deserved by those who work on publications. (2) To make as much interesting and accurate information available as possible to the press. Whenever feasible, to provide "firsts" or scoops for our collegiate publications.



SPRING — "the time of the singing of the birds!"

Napier Furnishes Laundry With Bulk Of Dorm Work

By Madge Barnard

"Laundry work isn't glorious but good-natured customers like the Alabama College students certainly make it more enjoyable," were the praising words of Steve Smitherman, manager of the college laundry for the past four years.

The customers of the laundry are many and varied for it serves all dormitory students and a number of the faculty and staff. The bulk of laundry comes from Napier. Mr. Smitherman estimates that 1600-1800 shirts and 900-1200 pairs of trousers are cleaned each week.

When asked how each person's laundry was kept together, the manager replied, "Many of the students will swear that we don't." In reality, they do not keep the laundry together. The laundry is first marked and then sorted into separate piles according to the type of clothing, such as socks, linens, dresses, etc. All of the piles are washed in different machines and are finished at the

same time. Items that belong to a certain individual are packaged together. The clothes are double checked to insure, as much as possible, everyone of getting his own laundry.

In addition to the regular laundry that is picked up at each dormitory, several special services are offered. Separate clothes can be brought down for special washing for a small fee. A large skirt with detailed ornaments costs \$2.00. A plain skirt is \$1.00 and dresses are done for \$2.00. Dresses will be put on hangers if it is indicated on the laundry list, but they must be picked up by the student.

The cost for having laundry done at the college plant is included in the tuition and no additional charges are made except for special services. The estimated cost of running the laundry for one month is \$3,000. Members of the faculty who use the laundry are charged a small fee.

Helping to provide these services are two members of the staff who have been at the laundry for over 35 years. George Lanier, a washman, remembers when everything was done by hand. Mrs. Moreland, a sorter, has been there for 36 years.

The laundry is located next to the power house which is directly behind Ramsay dormitory. The building that it presently occupies was built in 1908.

Last but not least of all the services the laundry has to offer is the "rise and shine" whistle to which many awaken each morning.

TOWER TALKS

I have been snooping around this campus for a number of years now, and I have seen quite a few unusual antics pulled, especially when Miss Spring nods her head.

But never before have I seen a "S"—a surprise gift—whose former resident was the eye-sockets of an owl. I must say these A.C. sophomores have originality.

Spring fever must have snatched the new senior class president early. She hasn't yet learned to answer roll in class. Her prompt "Hello" surprised everyone, including herself.

All institutions of higher learning fail in some respects. It seems as if A. C. didn't provide enough keys. One car of students returning from the state home economics convention at Jacksonville State College was in danger of appealing to the welfare for clothes. Their problem—a locked trunk with all the luggage in it.

The nice, warm weather has the kitchen roof competing with Florida's white, sandy beaches. It has also lured some instructors into relenting in favor of outdoor classes. What a break for those who found returning to weird books hard after a week's vacation!

What Do You Think Of Vesper Plans?

The Student Christian Association is planning to start vesper services on Mondays and Wednesdays. Here are some student opinions on the proposed plans:

Nancy Heaslett — "I think it would help to bring the students closer together."

Robert Hudson — "I feel that outdoor services are more inspirational. Group singing without any teaching would be ideal."

Jimmy Stanton — "I think it would add to the spiritual quality of our campus life."

Sandra Macon — "I think our campus needs vespers."

Lorna Teany — "They would be a guide for our spiritual life."

Joyce Willis — "I think they would be good for the student body."

Shirley Baker — "We do need vespers and having them at night would enable more people to attend."

Terry Vardaman — "It would give students a planned time for spiritual fellowship which they might not have otherwise."

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Dr. Priestley Talks To IRC

The International Relations Club, at its latest meeting, was host to members of the European seminar group. An informative program featured Dr. Gerard Priestley, who lectured on London and Paris, using color slide illustrations which he made while in those cities.

The business session consisted of nomination of the officers of IRC for 1959-60. Those nominated for president were Charles Adams, Bill Powers and Bettilee Stain. Charles Jones and Pru Menzies were named for the office of vice-president; and Pat Herrod and Joan Rabby for the position of secretary-treasurer.

The next business meeting will be held April 21, at which time Charles Adams will report on the action of the Conference on International Affairs, which he attended at Auburn.

The annual IRC banquet will be on Thursday, April 30.

Banquet Honors Publications Staffs

Members of the three student publications, *Alabamian*, *Montage*, and *Tower*, were feted at a banquet in Anna Irving dining room last Tuesday night.

The banquet, the first of its kind to be held, was planned to promote interest and work on the publications.

Jane Graham and Katherine Morton were in charge of arrangements. They were assisted by Wanza Cauthen, invitations; Etta Lou Shipp, seating arrangement; Barbara White, place-cards; Ann Riley and Jackie Inman.



"THAT CROOK WILL SOON BELONG TO US"—This was the general trend of conversation among these junior class officers as they gaze longingly at the symbol, which will give them the right to become the "Most Honorable." Musing over what they will do after Crook Court are: (left to right) Chris Angele, president; June Campbell, vice-president; Mable Austin, marching chairman; and Frances Benton, Ramsay president and incoming senior class president.

Orrs Entertain '59 Seniors At Dean's Tea On April 17

Dean and Mrs. M. L. Orr entertained the 1959 Seniors at a tea Friday afternoon, April 17.

The receiving line consisted of Mrs. Nora Lewis, housemother of Tutwiler, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hood, house parents of Napier, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Tolbert, class advisors.

Assisting at the reception were:

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Barclay, Dean and Mrs. John Walters, Dean Iva Gibson, Mrs. Phebe Wills, Mrs. Lena N. Jeter, Mrs. M. L. Orr, Jr., Mrs. L. C. Parnell, and Miss Ethel Marshall.

Incoming senior class officers were invited to assist. They were: Frances Benton, president; Frances Trest, vice-president; Jeanette Crew, secretary; and Peggy Thompson, treasurer.

Finger Speaks At Conference

Dr. Bernice Finger, acting chair-

man and professor of health, physical education and recreation at Alabama College, was one of the featured guest speakers at the annual meeting of the Alabama Conference of Social Work in Mobile April 16.

Dr. Finger spoke on the recreational phase of the conference's general theme, "Our Opportunity—Strengthening Today's Family".

The program consisted of outstanding speakers from over the nation. Presiding officer of the conference was R. B. Bagley, of the State Department of Education, Montgomery.

AN ODE TO FIELD BIOLOGY

By B. J. Vogel

Over the hills and through the woods
On insect hunts they go.
No matter if the weather is bad or good;
Be it 90 above or 50 below.
Tramping along with spirits high,
They search the great out of doors
Looking for bugs which crawl or fly
Or those that just sit on all fours.
(Or all six or eight or ten)
"There it goes!" shouts one sharp-eyed lass,
As a hapless creature flits by;
Then all converge like a great roaring mass,
While the bug takes off for the sky.
So, if on campus you happen to see
A blur with a net in flight
Don't laugh, 'cuz it ain't so easy to be
Catchin' bugs both day and night.

Crook Day Festivities Begin Early, Last Late

By Pattie Crawford

"In 1926 Miss Hattie Lyman, president of the senior class, conceived the idea of hiding the Crook. This has since become symbolic and traditional with the students." Thus reads the inscription on the Crook Case in Tutwiler Hall lobby. On May 2, the thirty-third annual Crook Day will take place. A "Most Honorable Senior" hides this cherry stick. It is the responsibility of the "lowly and undeserving juniors" to find it.

All day the hunt goes on with only a few breaks for a performance by the juniors pleading for clues to the identity of the Crook's hiding place. As the long day slowly comes to its end, the Crook is found. The juniors are about ready to assume the weighty responsibilities of Seniorism, but there is still one more ordeal—Crook Court.

In the bleakness of pitch dark the juniors are carried to Palmer

Hall. Here the juniors are tried and automatically found guilty of various crimes which they may have committed. After the penalties have been fulfilled and Crook Court is closed, the juniors are granted entrance into Sacred Seniorism. The festivities of the day are celebrated by all with the New Seniors' Crook Day March.

Crook Day is symbolic of the worthiness and responsibility carried with the title Most Honorable Seniors. Crook Day has become one of Alabama College's greatest traditions. A word of advice to the sophomores and freshmen: Laugh on Crook Day if you must, but keep in mind that your time is not too far off.

Sixty Seniors Plan Annual Spring Trip

"Boy! I can't wait to hit that good old beach and get a blistering suntan."

"Look at the sun blazing down on the water; it surely is going to feel good."

These exciting remarks may soon be heard by the senior class of '59 before they reach Panama City Beach. Approximately 60 seniors will participate in this annual event held every spring.

The group will leave in cars owned by the girls early on the morning of May 8 and return May 10. The group will reside at the Kiska cottages.

"Chaperones have not yet been selected," said Patty Talley, senior class president.



JUST A FAMILY QUARREL—In the College Theatre practice of "Blithe Spirit" scheduled April 23, 24, Jo Ann Mynard as Ruth Condomine is disagreeing with husband Charles. This Noel Coward play will end the bill for the College Theatre this year.

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Publishers Use College Campus For Workshop

Five hundred high school editors of yearbooks invaded the Alabama College campus April 17 to attend a Yearbook Workshop.

Under the sponsorship of Taylor Publishing Co., the workshop was highlighted by three outstanding speakers, including Dr. W. H. Taft, Dean of the School of Journalism, University of Missouri.

Registration began at 9:30 a.m. in Palmer Auditorium. A general session was held at 10 a.m. at which the group was welcomed by the college and introduced to the three interest speakers.

Topics discussed included "Yearbook Journalism" and "Yearbook Photography."

The first interest seminar was held at 11:00 a.m. A box lunch was served to the students in picnic style behind Comer Auditorium.

After lunch the students rotated in their various interest groups. A general session and a motion picture ended the day's activities.

Taylor Publishing Co. requested Alabama College as a site for the workshop. Taylor has its home offices in Dallas, Texas. They are the publisher for the 1959 Montage.

Andrew, The Cat Discovers Aunt

My name is Andrew and I have been asked to write a column on this paper. I have free-run of the paper office to type my articles—and I might add, typing with two paws is much like sweeping with a pole.

Before I took this job I made sure that a certain black cocker spaniel couldn't get in the office and chase me.

Whatever would prompt a dog to chase cats is beyond me; but dogs have always chased cats and cats always run. I suppose it's a never ending cycle—one of those vicious circles you humans are always in.

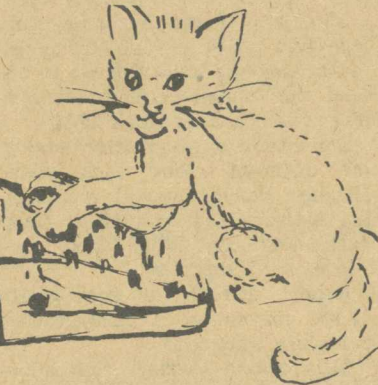
One of the main reasons I was asked to do this was because I get around and see a good bit on the campus. Well, one day as I was wandering around in one of the class buildings, I smelled the most awful odor and with a cat's curiosity I tracked it down. I went in a class room, but I didn't see what was making the odor.

But, I'll swear on catnip for dessert that I saw Aunt Matilda—I just know it was her. I recognized her by her hairless tail. No cat, just no cat, could have a tail like Aunt Matilda. She was so proud of her hairless tail; it was as sleek and shiny as an unpowdered nose. Several students were hanging out the windows. Well, the odor was pretty bad, and I could understand that. But I just couldn't understand the student hanging over the sink.

About that time the teacher, pointing to Aunt Matilda's rudely exposed insides, exclaimed that the cat's digestive system is very delicate, humanlike, and unsuit-



AND WHO WOULDN'T GET CAUGHT—If attractive Myra Eiland were chasing you. This sparkling blue-eyed beauty is a sophomore majoring in secretarial administration. Myra was one of the top fifteen finalists chosen at the Elite Night festivities. April's CAMPUS QUEEN hails from Childersburg, Ala.



able for garbage consumption. Firmly believing this, I was determined to get a closer look. I jumped up on the table, and I was convinced. Aunt Matilda always had complained of ulcers. Instantly, everyone roared with laughter, and when I looked up to see what they were laughing at, the little man in white was chasing me with an ax in his hand. I didn't stay there. Times sure are hard. No wonder there are so many nervous disorders. Why, I don't think my constitution would allow many such attacks. There are certain inalienable rights, I should like to state, and among them is my right to see my relatives in any class room I so choose.

Here comes that nosy flash-light again, so I guess I better git while the kitten's good. I can see in the dark, and I don't see why I have to go home when they turn the lights out.

ANDREW THE CAT

Music Recitals To Be In April

Two senior music majors will present recitals this month.

On April 19 at 4 p.m. in Palmer Hall, Mary Katherine Hicks will play an organ recital. Her program includes repertoire from Dandrich, Bach, Franck, and Alain.

Polly Holliday, senior pianist, will perform on April 30 at 8:15 p.m. in Calkins Auditorium. She will play compositions of Scarlatti, Beethoven, MacDowell, Bartok, and Mozart.

Organ Recital

On April 13 at 8:15 p.m., Dr. Betty Louise Lumby, professor of music, presented an organ recital. Her program consisted of pieces by Bruhns, Buxtehude, Bach, Karg-Elert, and Mozart.

Hat Demonstration By State Officer

Ruth Stovall, State Supervisor of Home Economics Education, will be a guest speaker of the Alabama College Ivol Spafford Club in the near future.

Miss Stovall will give a hat demonstration. She will lecture on pointers aiding in hat making.

The demonstration will be open to all students and other interested persons.

Celebration Honoring Shakespeare's Birthday

Normally, William Shakespeare's birthday is celebrated on April 23 along with St. George's Day, the patron saint of England. The Alabama College celebration has been changed to April 20, due to a conflict with the production of "Blithe Spirit" by the College Theatre.

Ironically, this is probably a truer birth date since in Elizabethan England, names of children were entered in the parish register two or three days after their birth.

There will be two separate festivities in the celebration. An old English dinner will honor the Bard. The dinner sponsored by the English Club and the Shakespeare class, will be held in the dining hall. The menu will feature Elizabethan dishes and toasts will be drunk to the President, Queen, and Master Shakespeare.

The entire campus and faculty are invited to Comer Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. where they will be greeted by Elizabethan milkmaids.

The program will feature the singing of madrigals by the Elizabethan Madrigal Society under the direction of John Fesperman, associate professor of music.

A prize of an appropriate INSCRIBED EDITION OF THE COLLECTED WORKS OF SHAKESPEARE will be awarded to the person with the best poem in connection with Shakespeare. These poems may be submitted by anyone on campus to Hope Neely and Walter Coppedge, associate professor of English.

Darrol Pharris Receives Honors

Darrol Irving Pharris, senior biology student at Alabama College, is the recipient of a \$2,000 grant to the graduate school of Vanderbilt University for the academic year 1959-60.

Dr. Leonard B. Beach, Dean of Graduate School at Vanderbilt, made the announcement of Pharris' appointment to the school on the grant which includes a \$1500 teaching assistantship and a \$500 tuition scholarship.

Pharris recently received another honor. He won first place awards at the Alabama Academy of Science at Auburn for his work in cancer research. His research project, which he will present again later this month at the Southeastern Conference of Biologists in Knoxville, Tenn., was designed to contribute to the knowledge of a particular tumor, the Sarcoma I ascites, and the pattern of cell division within the tumor. Another aspect of the research was to determine the number of chromosomes within the cancerous cells.

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Palmer Stage Debut Scene For Orchesis

This year rather than presenting their annual dance concert in convocation, the Orchesis Club presented a dance concert of three suites Thursday evening April 16. The three suites included: "Dance Around the World and Through the Ages," "Alabama," and "Themes from Broadway."

Miss Catherine Carlson, instructor of health, physical education and recreation and sponsor of the Orchesis Club, directed and filmed the second suite as a part of her thesis for her Master's Degree at Texas Women's University.

The first suite, a sketch of dance from its early beginning in primitive forms up to the modern jazz age and from the orient to the West Indies, consisted of eight dances. A frenzied dance typified the wild and war-like spirit of primitive man. The Russian Folk Dance was the second feature. The Oriental and Early American dances were performed by the intermediate modern dance classes. Vaudeville depicted three pompous gentlemen on a fling when they were suddenly awakened to the fact that they weren't flowers of youth any more. Through straight and angular contours, the modern or mechanical age was pictured. From the West Indies came the Calypso dance. Jazz, the latest thing in dance, concluded the suite.

Second Suite

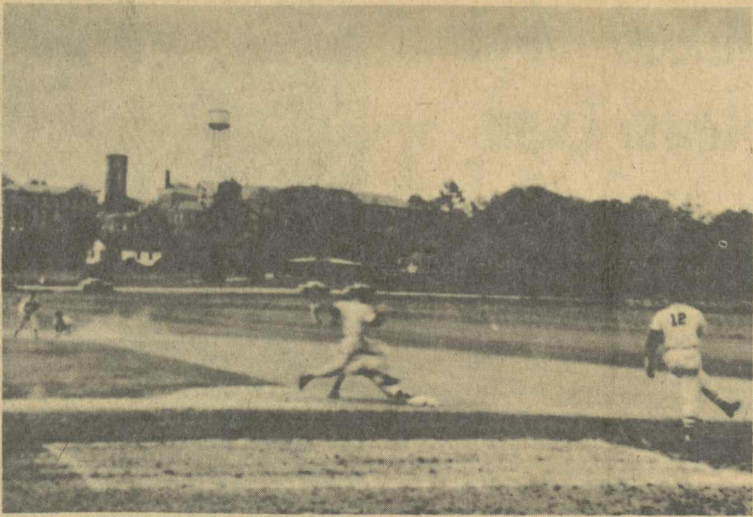
The second suite involved the Essence, the Roots, the Growth and Future of Alabama, each consisting of one or more dances. The Essence of Alabama was an introduction to Alabama as a land of mountains and valleys, hills and plains and a people of easy friendliness and formal customs, combinations of old and new.

The history and traditions—the Roots of Alabama—were presented through the people who settled the land and engraved its culture. The Indians lived, shared, and warred in a land of plenty until the arrival of the white man. The proud and fearless Spanish came in search of gold. The Spanish were followed by the French Aristocrats with little talent for hard work and survival in the Alabama wilderness. Then the American settlers came from all walks of life to Alabama, found it good, and stayed.

The Growth of Alabama included Work, Play, Crises, and Religion, the things which make up the spirit of Alabama in the every day life of its people. The Future of Alabama expressed the search for a successful future with a hopeful spirit.

Third Suite

The third suite interpreted selected numbers from musical



AND IT'S A DOUBLE PLAY—The first of the season for the Alabama College nine. The first and second sackers had a close call in completing the tags. The team snagged the first game of the season before dropping two.

scores of Broadway hits—from Kismet, "A Slave Market" and "Desert Scene," selections from Slaughter on Tenth Avenue, from Pajama Game, "Steam Heat" and "Hernando's Hideaway" and from Pal Joey, "That Terrific Rainbow."

Orchesis Dancers

Dancers in the concert included: the Orchesis Director, Catherine Carlson; Orchesis officers, Joyce Willis, President; Marlene Rowell, Vice-President; Joyce Zucco, Secretary-Treasurer; Martha Stephens, Wardrobe; Gene McCutchen, Publicity Manager.

Orchesis members, Jo Ann Baites, Judy Cain, Mary Carter, Carolyn Clark, Denny Elliott, Bobby Harrison, Mary Lou Humphrey, Mimi Jenkins, Jerry Ann Melton, Jane Rice, Jimmie Stanton, Jo Veal, Donna Warren, Becky Williams, Jij Wilson.

Members of Modern Dance classes who are not Orchesis members, Dorothy Schroeder, Laura Bailey, Betty Baker, Fay Cotton, Ouida Dickson, Carolyn Hill, Pat Kelly, Carolyn Pinson, Naomi Scott, Jo Stojcich, David Beaman, Ellen Cook, Ed Cooper, Jan Cooper, Lou Ellen Hearn, Mary Alice Hudgins, Doris Hughes, Margaret Jeffers, Carol Ann Lewis, Kay McLain, Barbara Parrott, Lucile Russell, Tiny Wells.

Production Staff

Other than the Orchesis Director and officers, those in the production staff were: Accompanists, John Fesperman, Rebecca Gantt, Harris Holly, Rebecca Ros, Tom Skinner, and Angeline Waites; Lighting Director, Bettie LeGrand with her crew members, Billie Mason, Janice Clark, and Dixie Missildine; Staging Director, Shirley Hill and crew, Mary Jo Alfano, Eleanor Shotts, and Barbara Walker.

Program Cover Designer, David Huntley; Choreography, Costume design and Construction by the Orchesis members with the exception of the second suite which was done by Miss Carlson.



CALYPSO CRAZE—Is being entered into with much spirit by (left to right) Denny Elliott, Gene McCutchen, Jane Rice, Bobby Harrison, Jo Veal, Jimmie Stanton, Orchesis members appearing in the Orchesis production April 16.

Catalina Show Will Feature Western Theme

By Laura Bailey

The Old West is in the spotlight once again! This year the Catalina Club is staging, in the water of course, a western show complete with covered wagon and Indians. Members of the Catalina Club which were selected by try-outs have been working since the beginning of the semester perfecting the numbers to be performed on May 6, 7 for the student body.

Besides the opening number and the finale, which will include all club members, there will be numbers by the beginning, intermediate and advanced groups. Also there will be solos, duets, trios plus comedy diving.

Just take a glance at the records that will be used. They include "High Noon", "Moonlight Gambler", and "Indian Love Call", not to mention many other great hits.

The writers of the script are Bettilee Stain and Margaret Tait. Linda Sparkman is the head of staging and props, Bettie LeGrand is crew head for lighting.

Fellas, grab your hats; and gals, your bonnets, and head for the swimming pool on May 6, 7 to make the Catalina Club show a big roundup.

Tennis Team Drops First Two Matches

Alabama College dropped its first two intercollegiate tennis matches of the year (also the first in the history of the school) to Marion 9-0 and to St. Bernard 8-1. Yaca Avila and Don Mahone became the first male tennis players in the history of A.C. to win a match against another college. They dropped Bill Ryan and George Walz of St. Bernard 6-4, 6-4 in the number three doubles match last Thursday afternoon.

Coach Floyd Anderson believes that his tennis players will win some matches as soon as they have gotten their "feet wet" in the world of intercollegiate tennis competition. Not one of the members of the squad had participated in inter-school tennis on any level before last Monday.

Singles

Pinter (Bernard) def. Avila (Alabama College) 6-1, 3-6, 6-4. Dugan (Bernard) def. Garrett (Alabama C.) 6-2, 6-2. Lynch (B) def. Eddins (A) 6-2, 6-2. Cenbrink (B) def. Scott (A) 6-1, 6-0. Zoder (B) def. Lahman (A) 6-3, 6-2. Welz (B) def. Savino (A) 6-2, 6-4.

Doubles

Lynch-Zoder (B) def. Faught-Godfrey (A) 6-2, 6-0. Dugan-Cenbrink (B) def. Harrison-Horne 6-1, 6-1. Avila-Mahone (A) def. Ryan-Welz (B) 6-4, 6-4.

Baseballers Win Opener, Bow In Two Road Games

By Earl Lewis

The Alabama College baseball squad opened the '59 season with a fine 5-2 victory over the Cadets from Marion Institute. Foozy Findley faced only thirty-three batters, limiting them to three hits in going the route and bringing home the victory. Don Miller led the A.C. attack, which banged out a total of eleven hits. Miller had four hits in four trips to the plate, including a bases-empty home run in the fourth inning.

Findley struck out five along the way and walked only two in a fine demonstration of control pitching. Jim Fulmer, the Cadet starting pitcher, struck out two and walked four and Len Chapman, who took over for Fulmer in the eighth, struck out one.

Livingston Game

The following day the A.C. squad journeyed to Livingston State College to lose a heartbreaker in the last inning. Ralph Hunt started for A.C. and did a fine job of handling the Tiger batsmen until he began to tire in the last of the eighth and had to retire in favor of Ray Jones. Kent Lowery led the attack with three hits in five trips.

With A.C. leading 5-3, Livingston pushed across three runs in the last of the ninth which gave them the victory. Ralph Thrasher had two for four and Joe Earl Foshee had two for five to give Lowery plenty of support in the offense.

St. Bernard Game

The following day, A.C. took on the powerful St. Bernard Saints of Cullman and dropped a 9-4 decision. Ralph Deason started for A.C. and got credit for the loss although he was replaced in the fifth inning by Howard Rogers. For the second straight day, third baseman Kent Lowery knocked the

cover off the ball. He got three for four, including a single, a triple, and a home run. Ronnie Bryant, the first sacker, had a home run and a single in three trips. Rogers pitched fine ball, striking out four over the last five innings and giving up only two hits.

Coach Frank Lightfoot commented after Thursday's loss to St. Bernard that he was naturally disappointed over the two losses, but that he was somewhat enthusiastic over prospects for the remainder of the season. He said that he believes that we have three or four top notch pitchers on our staff, and that as soon as injured players Don Jacks and Gene Goree get back in the line-up, that they, along with some of the other boys who are improving with every game, will put A.C. back in the win column.

Box Scores

	R	H	E
M. I.	000	200	000—2 3 5
A. C.	120	101	000—5 11 3

Home runs: Miller, A.C. Winning pitcher: Findley, A.C. (1-0); losing pitcher: Fulmer, M.I. Battery: A.C. (Findley, Thrasher); M.I. (Fulmer and Chapman, Tedder).

	R	H	E
A. C.	300	110	000—5 9 6
L. S.	020	000	013—6 5 5

Battery: A.C. (Hunt and Jones, Thrasher); L.S.C. (Delin and Fulmer, Cooper); winning pitcher: Delin, L.S.C.; losing pitcher: Deason, A.C.

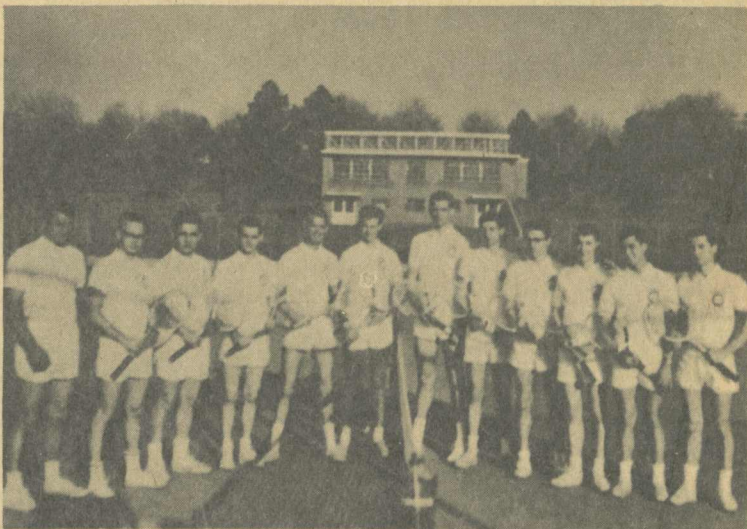
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Bernard	400	302	000—9 9 1
A. C.	100	202	000—4 5 2

Home runs: Lowery, A.C., Bryant, A.C., Smith, Ber., Duke, Ber. Battery: A.C. (Deason and Rogers, Thrasher); Ber. (Smith and Loving). Winning pitcher, Smith; losing pitcher, Deason.

Swim Practices For April Meet

Practice for the men's and women's intramural swimming meet of April 28-29 has begun. Many of the students will have no trouble in getting their five required practices, for this year not only recreational swims may be counted but also swimming classes and Catalina Club practices.

Students may enter any three events on the program of events with the stipulation that only two of the three events may be for speed. The tentative schedule for the program of events will include in speed swimming, the front crawl, back crawl, breast stroke, medley relay, and free style relay; in form swimming, the side stroke, breast stroke, and elementary back stroke; in diving, the front dive and three dives of own choosing.



AN ALABAMA COLLEGE FIRST—Is the men's intercollegiate tennis team. The team is being coached by Floyd Anderson, a member of the faculty of the health, physical education, and recreation department. Composing the team are: (left to right) Coach Anderson, Jimmy Eddins, Yaca Avila, Clement Lehman, Don Mahone, Ellis Faught, Sid Godfrey, Arthur Garrett, John Scott, Carle Horne, Bobby Harrison, and Phil Savino.



"HOW DO YOU DO"—And the receiving line for the Sophomore Class Reception at President and Mrs. Howard Phillips' home on Flowerhill moves steadily on. Going through the line are: (left to right) Pat Helms, Jo Ann Bailes, and Elizabeth Ann Herring. Class officers who composed the receiving line with the Phillips are: (left to right) Shirley Baker, president; Dr. and Mrs. Phillips, Bobbie Hopkins, secretary; Christel Ludwig, vice-president; and Barbara Walker, treasurer.

Kappa Pi Schedules Auction Of Art Works April 23-25

The annual Art Auction sponsored by Kappa Pi, honorary art fraternity, is scheduled for April 23-25.

Committees appointed are Publicity Chairman, B. J. Knowles, and serving with her are Miss Martha Allen, Barbara Lett, Margie Lane, Marlene McBee, and Barbara Maul.

Kappa Pi held its annual initiation recently. Receiving membership were Dot Tuthill, Barbara Lett, James Brantley, Vivian Klinner, Eugene Brymer, Martha McVean, Billye J. Knowles.

The new officers elected are Elizabeth Edwards, President; James Brantley, Vice-President; Vivian Klinner, Secretary-Treasurer.

Outgoing officers are President, Marlene McBee; Vice President and Social Chairman, Barbara Maul; Secretary-Treasurer, Eliza-

beth Edwards.

The business meeting centered around making plans for the Art Auction to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Juniors To Be Host At Senior Banquet

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet will be April 29. Chris Angele, junior class president, said that all plans for the banquet were in the process of completion.

Each junior will escort his specific senior and sit with him. The juniors will entertain the honored guests with a skit.

Lambda Sigma Pi, honorary senior women's fraternity, will tap ten members for next year.

Mixed Choir Plans Tour

"Anyone for Florida?" Alabama College Choir members are, for that is one of the expected highlights of the choir tour. The tour date is April 23-27. The group consisting of 52 singers and director, Bruce Tolbert, will be Alabama College's "Good Will Ambassadors" as they tour Southern Alabama and Northern Florida.

Engagements have been accepted from Brundidge, Ozark, Atmore, Bay Minette, Orrville, and Maplesville, Milton and Panama City, Florida.

Several of the performances will be in churches with a program of special music. Also there will be a program for schools which will be lighter and contain more secular music. Instrumental accompanists for the programs will be Janera Carter, Jennie Cotney, Denny Elliott, and Mary Katherine Hicks.

Officers of the Choir are: President, Harvey Fleming; Secretary, Jimmie Stanton; Treasurer, Sylvia Pound; Librarian, Elnora Lester.

Heroic Encounter Is On Art Display

"The Heroic Encounter", an exhibition of symbolic art relating to man's essential struggle with himself, is being shown by the Art Department of Alabama College through April 23.

On display in Comer Hall, the show is made up of a series of photographic panels and accompanying text. Included are such representations as the "Ten On-herding Pictures" of Zin Buddhism, Eliot Elisofon photographs of the "Dance of Siva", William Blake's "Behemoth" illustration of the "Book of Job", and Picasso's "Minotauromachy".



TOUR TIME AGAIN—At least for the fifty-two members of the Alabama College Choir. On their four-day trek through Southern Alabama and Northern Florida, the group will sing in more than eight engagements. Entering the First Presbyterian Church in Montgomery are Dennis Sheppard, John Scott, Bruce McClanahan, Angeline Waites, Denny Elliott, and David Beaman.

Tri-Beta Taps Ten Students For Membership In Group

Tri-Beta, honorary biology fraternity, has ten new members. Receiving membership are: Laura Bailey, Pat Kelly, Patty Talley, Dan Walton, Arthur Garrett, Barbara Newton, Lynda Hudson, Pru Menzies, Verna Cook, and Mike Mahan.

Dr. Glen J. Divon and J. R. Thomson, from Southern Research Institute delivered a lecture on their methods of searching for new chemicals to treat cancer at the last meeting of Tri-Beta and the combined Biology Clubs. They also discussed employment opportunities at Southern Research. Dr. Dixon, biochemist in charge of the anti-virus and anti-cancer work, and Mr. Thomson, biologist, are members of the Chemotherapy department.

Bigler To Speak At Club Dinner

The Business Administration Club, composed of over 160 students, is making plans for its banquet on April 27. The semi-formal affair will feature Hugh P. Bigler, President of Southern Electric Steel Company, Birmingham.

The Club will have as its guests members of the Montevallo Chamber of Commerce and administrative officers of Alabama College.

The program will include introduction of officers for the coming year. Recently elected were Charles Adams, president; Linda Dunkin, vice president; Phyllis Traywick, secretary; and Sidney Godfrey, parliamentarian.

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Male Students To Invade Back Campus

Dr. Walters Chosen Dean

Dr. John B. Walters is the new Dean of the College replacing Dr. M. L. Orr who is retiring at the close of this regular session. He has been a member of the Alabama College faculty since September, 1956. He has served as chairman of the political science division department and was named Dean of Men in November of 1957.



DEAN WALTERS

Dr. Walters received his high school diploma from Richmond Academy at Augusta, Georgia, where his family made its home after leaving his birthplace of Cordele, Georgia.

He received his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees from Vanderbilt University. His Master's degree was awarded in 1945 and his Ph.D. in 1947.

Not only has Dr. Walters worked in the field of education but he worked for 9 years in private business. Part of this period was spent at Oakridge, Tennessee.

In the field of education, he was on the staff of Vanderbilt University, George Peabody College, Extension Division of the University of Virginia, and of Emory and Henry College. History, political science, and government are his specialties.

Dr. Walters is a member of several historical societies. Among these are the Southern Historical Association and the Alabama Historical Association.

Much of his spare time is spent in writing articles for historical journals. He is also revising a manuscript on General W. T. Sherman.

Dr. Walters makes his home in Montevallo with his wife Martha and their two boys, ages 19 and 11. In Montevallo he is a member of the Methodist Church where he teaches a Sunday School class of young married people.

Women To Pick Rooms For '59-'60

Room drawing for the 1959-60 term will occur for women during the next two weeks, Mrs. Phebe Wills, Social Director and Assistant to Dean of Students, announced.

Rising juniors will draw for their rooms May 11 from 4:30-8. Incoming sophomores will get room assignments on May 13 from 4:30-8. Senior women will draw on May 19 from 4:30-8.



RAMSAY REMOVES GIRLS—In order to house the overflow of men students. The junior women will remain in Hanson dormitory and male students will be housed on the back campus of Alabama College for the first time in the history of the school. Freshman men will occupy this dorm.

Tutwiler Is Only Dormitory To Survive Housing Change

Male students will invade back campus to live in Ramsay dormitory, former housing facilities for junior women.

Enrollment increase has made present housing facilities inadequate. Napier Hall, the only men's dormitory, will only accommodate 172 men. At this time 70 more male students are registered than were at this time last year. Napier is filled to capacity now. By taking over Ramsay, arrangements can be made to house 282 men.

Housing arrangements for women will include the sharing of two dormitories by different classes.

Freshman women will occupy east and central wings of Main.

Sophomore women will live in the west wing of Main. Any overflow of sophomore women will live on the first floor of Hanson, which is the junior dormitory.

Junior women will be housed on the second and third floors of Hanson. Seniors, as in the past, will occupy Tutwiler.

Main will hold 375 girls, Hanson 184, Ramsay 110, and Tutwiler 102. By combining the dormitory space, the total student capacity will be changed from 771 for women and 172 for men to 661 for women and 282 for men.

In his announcement to the student body, Dr. Howard Phillips emphasized "the attempt to retain all privileges for women on back campus." The arrangement is only temporary.

The rising sophomore women will have a separate house mother and separate house government from the freshman women. West Main will be regarded as a separate dormitory.

Freshman men are expected to occupy Ramsay. A counselor and a senior student will live with them.

The committee working on the housing will be making additional plans throughout the summer.

Colwell, Jordan Speak On Program

Speakers for the baccalaureate services held in conjunction with graduation will be Dr. Ernest Kadman Colwell and Dr. G. Ray Jordan.

Dr. Colwell, president of Southern California School of Theology, will deliver the commencement address on Sunday afternoon, May 31.

Dr. Jordan, who is a professor of Homiletics at the Canada School of Theology, will present the baccalaureate sermon at 11 a.m.

Dr. Colwell possesses six degrees. He holds a Ph.B., B.D., Ph.D., Lit. D., L.L.D., S.T.D.

Dr. Jordan has received an A.B., B.D., M.A., D.D., Litt.D.

Dr. Colwell was the former president of the University of Chicago and a former vice-president and dean at Emory University.

Lambda Sigma Pi Inducts Members

Ten junior women were tapped into Lambda Sigma Pi, local women's honorary fraternity for senior women.

Membership is based on outstanding student participation. Inducted were June Capell, Jo Veal, Celeste Parker, Jo Anne Mynard, Janice Wood, Linda Sparkman, Flora Clark, Etta Lou Shipp, Chris Angele, and Bettilee Stain.

Graduating seniors belonging to the group were Mary Helen Capell, Jennie Cotney, Polly Holliday, Bertha Masterson, Sue Swann, Shirley Stabler, Mary Katherine Wilson, Patty Talley, Katherine Morton, Gene McCutchen.

Patty Talley served as president of the fraternity for the past year.

Honors Day Committee Presents Citations For Outstanding Scholastic Achievements

Awards and recognition for outstanding scholastic achievement was given at the Honors Day convocation Tuesday, May 5, at 11 o'clock.

Dr. S. E. Gerard Priestley, professor of political science, addressed the group on "The Lasting Values in a Changing World". He was introduced by Dr. Howard Phillips, who also made some opening remarks.

Special awards were presented by Dr. Herbert Eber, representing the Honors Day committee.

The awards and the recipients of each were: a citation, Dr. M. L. Orr; Alpha Lambda Delta, Patty Talley; American Association of University Women, Virginia Martin and Kitty Stansell; Beta Beta Beta, Patty Talley; Edythe Saylor junior award, Jo Veal; Edythe Saylor senior award, Gene McCutchen; Faculty Phi Beta Kappa Members, Patty Talley; Kappa Delta Pi, Mary Katherine Wilson; Loveman, Joseph, and Loeb, Jane Canady;

National Collegiate Players, Polly Holliday and Bertha Masterson; Robert Barnes Scholarship, Jane Ingram; Dawn S. Kennedy Scholarship, Gene Brymer; Kappa Pi

Scholarship, Marguerite Lane; Mathematics Achievement Award, William Hall; United Business Education Award, Alice Ketchum, and Wall Street Journal Award, Jessie Mae Lyles.

The honor students from each class were then presented and given a scroll citing their achievements by Dr. Eber.

Senior honor students were: Neal Shirley, Patty Talley, Nancy McCary, Jane Graham, Mary Katherine Wilson, Jessie Mae Lyles, and Barbara Jean Walker.

Juniors were: Sue Chumley, Priscilla Bryant, Albert Van Cleave, Arthur Garrett, Bonnie Henley, Mary Kidd, Peggy Thompson, Sara Lou Berry, and Janice Wood.

Sophomores recognized were: Paul Kiparsky, Virginia Martin, Kitty Stansell, Bruce McClanahan, Carolyn Moody, Mary Ethel Horne, Jeanette Peel, Sylvia Pound, John Scott, Jeanette Carden, Edward Blackmon, Rosalie Hart, Billie Sue Connally, Carolyn Lewis, Patricia Kelly, Margaret Stallworth, Ann Nabors, Martha Campbell, Jane Ingram, and Charles Jones.

Freshmen honored were: Truitt Moore, Irma Harrell, Ellen Cook,

Judith Davis, Margaret Jeffres, Sharon Summers, Elizabeth Lusk, James Levandoski, Peggy Capell, Lola Christiansen, Joan Murphree, Helen Brasfield, Audrey Allen, William Hall, Sara Jeter, Denson Elliott, Beulah Collins, Carolyn Dunkin, Tracy Latham, and Leila Stewart.

Attention was called to the local and national honor societies and their members who were listed on the program.

Spies Are Seeking Best-Dressed Girls

Did you know that people are watching you? They are looking at girls on all parts of the campus—at classes, the teahouse, the post office, the concerts. These watchbirds are the official judges for the annual contest to find the ten best-dressed girls on campus.

The Retail Club, re-established this year, has joined the freshman clothing classes to present the Spring fashion show on May 14, 1959. At that time the decisions of the judges will be announced.



THE MOST—Outstanding women in the rising senior class were tapped into Lambda Sigma Pi, honorary fraternity, at the annual Junior-Senior banquet. Tapped for the honor were (left to right) Etta Lou Shipp, Chris Angele, Linda Sparkman, Jo Veal, Celeste Parker. Standing, Flora Clark, Jo Anne Mynard, June Capell, Bettilee Stain, and Janice Wood.

Maturity Is Exhibited In Students' Reactions

Alabama College students have met progress with a cheerful acceptance. When Dr. Howard Phillips announced to the student body that Ramsay, former junior women's dormitory, would be housing male students next fall, the student body realized the necessity of the move.

It takes courage to face a threat to tradition with calm foresight. Understanding that the change was necessary, individuals disregarded personal whims and fears and gave the administration the type of co-operation and support needed for such a re-distribution of the students.

Napier will only facilitate 172 men. With Ramsay the housing accommodations will be raised to 282. At present the enrollment of male students is 70 more than it was at this time last year.

Although new restrictions may be placed on women students, the administration is working to retain the former rules and traditions which might be lost due to male invasion of back campus. Declaring the arrangement is temporary, Dr. Phillips and his fellow workers recognize the critical aspect of the change.

Alabama College students deserve a bow for being able to respect the growth and expansion demanded by time's unfailing cycle.

Stop Day--A Free Chance To See Alabama College

Stop Day! An occasion to which Alabama College students and faculty look forward with anticipation!

What is Stop Day? It is a day set aside by the president of the college for the purpose of giving students a free day from classes, so that they may stop and take a true look at their college campus. The squirrels scampering in the trees and the flowers bursting into bloom are only minor components of the beauty of this campus.

But Stop Day is more than just a break from classes, it is a chance to enjoy the fellowship of fellow students, as well as the beauty of the campus.

The purpose of Stop Day has been disregarded by some, but the majority have enjoyed its true purpose. It is not an established tradition but only a personal gesture of the president of the college.

From The President's Desk

Additional congratulations are extended to all those students who were appropriately recognized on Honors Day! You have been identified as a distinguished group of young people on the Alabama College campus. In establishing a record that brings honor to you, you have honored your parents and this institution. You must remember, however, that an even greater challenge confronts you in the future. You not only must maintain the reputation and record that you have created, you must improve your situation, if you should develop into the real leaders of tomorrow.

Though the number of students receiving honors during the present academic year at Alabama College is small, compared with the total enrollment, the percentage is significant when compared with other institutions of higher learning. It is very gratifying to know that Alabama College is producing a greater number of individuals who can be identified as "honors students" than in many other institutions.

The noteworthy achievement of all students should be recognized and appreciated on Honors Day and throughout the year. Certainly the academic spotlight should always be directed on them and their accomplishments. For many years, however, I have been sorely tempted to create "The Average Student Day". The recognition of these students would not detract from the honors accorded others. Appropriate recognition might challenge them to accept greater opportunities.

The large body of students composing the average group will in the future represent the college-educated "backbone" of the nation. Moreover, many of them will develop into outstanding leaders. Others will continue to make, through their varied activities, intelligent contributions to the progress and welfare of the nation.

I am genuinely proud of most of the students at Alabama College. Their good behavior and their fine qualities demand commendation from all of us.

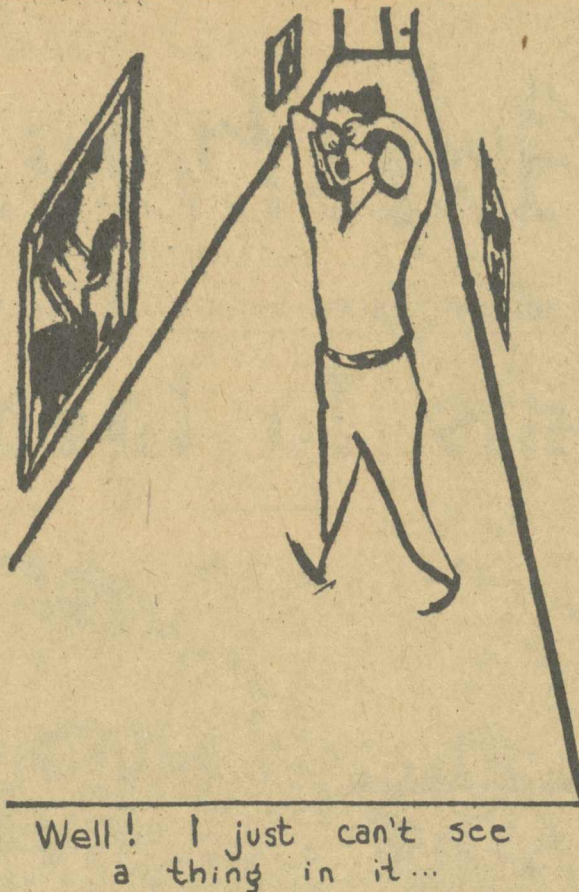
In life one often encounters the "bitter" with the "sweet." In fact, a happy life and most endurable situations are created when one can adjust these two ingredients of a mixture to some acceptable state of equilibrium.

Three years ago Alabama College was simply desperate relative to the need for an increase in student enrollment. The enrollment has increased within the past four years from a low of 455 to a total of 984 regular students enrolled in 1958-1959. The enrollment next year probably will reach an all time high of at least 1150 students.

The increase in student enrollment has created an almost insurmountable housing problem (reported elsewhere in the *Alabamian*). From sheer necessity, one of the dormitories for women, Ramsay, will have to be used next year for first year men. This is a temporary situation.

The response of the student body, especially the women affected—next year's sophomores and juniors, represented one of the most wholesome attitudes that I have ever encountered. Though not any of us are overjoyed, the cooperative spirit of the women who are now freshmen and sophomores is most commendable.

I am deeply grateful! Again—many, many thanks.



Crook Day Activities Mark Finale Of Senior's Regime

At four on Saturday morning the black clad figures of the Seniors marched to Ramsay dorm for their last time. Crook Day had arrived. The festivities of this sacred day began with a burial procession to the amphitheater where the Juniors dressed as gypsies, buried their old king and crowned a new ruler. After this mournful event, the gypsies danced to Palmer and received instructions about the events of Crook Day.

The search was on by six o'clock and before nine the Juniors were pleading for a clue. On the leg of the chicken, whose adopted home is Tutwiler, was found this clue: "Shrieks and cries, I hear them all. And the sound of a loud, loud bell." By eleven the Crook had not been found, so the entire campus enjoyed the first May Day at Alabama College. This was an elaborate celebration with a queen, her court, acrobats, court jesters,

Camphouse Scene Of Hanson Party

Villains, heroines and dancers—all these characters plus several others were present at Hanson's camphouse party Friday night, May 1.

Having arrived in time for sack suppers, members of Hanson enjoyed games, fellowship and refreshments. The highlight of the evening, however, was the entertainment.

Judy Cain, Betty Baker, Carolyn Pinson, Laura Bailey and Shirley Baker performed "Little Nell," the tragic drama of Nellie whose husband left her the night little Dummy was born. The Baker sisters made their debut doing their dainty highly stylized version of the Cha-Cha.

Merry Ann Warrick told the bedtime story of "Pinderella and the Cince" with Pinderella's "mugly other" and "sad bisters." Liz Atry showed slides of activities at A. C. and surrounding areas. The delightful and educational part of the program, however, was the presentation of "Othello", in opera, by Wanda Meadows as Desdemona, Shirley Baker as Othello, Becky Broom as Iago and Jane Ingram as Emilia. Othello's growing madness reaching its climax in the song, "How Mad I Am". Desdemona's sweet innocence, Iago's devilish glances and wily ways, and Emilia's gullibility, were portrayed perfectly by the actors.

Sara Wright was social chairman for the party.

an opera, and a May Pole dance.

There were more cries for clues and boundary cuts. The clues suggested to the juniors that the laundry housed the crook and so they turned over every piece of lint and dirt looking for it.

Since the crook had not been found by three o'clock, the juniors entertained the most honored one with a "cultural terrace party". Refreshments included water and bread.

The camping area was the only part of the campus left. Yells went up and the whistle blasted forth for Margie Stevens had found the crook under vines and briars in the camping area. Crook Day ended with the bestowal of caps and gowns upon the Class of 1960.

A POEM

By Louise Bishop

Sitting by my window,
Happy, peaceful, and glad,
All is wonderful and well.
Nothing is big and bad.
Money, clothes, class,
Hate and sorrow,
Never stay, never last.
Here today, gone tomorrow.

TOWER TALKS

Crook Day is over and the "lowliest of all creatures" are now the "most honorable" of all. Each year new originality is displayed in the Crook Day activities. The

Othello opera is a feather in the cap for the juniors. The "Queen" of the May Day festivities chalked one with her remark after 10 hours of searching that the seniors were really giving her a good study in nature.

Four seniors shrewdly chasing Tut's adopted mascot, the little red hen, in order to hide a clue on her, started Crook Day off with a laugh.

On every choir trip, interesting things occur. But, I overheard several people say that one of the soloists turned red, and not from the sun, when the pastor of a host church appeared on the departing bus with a dress and a bundle of petticoats that had been left in the dressing room. She topped the incident off with the scream "But I don't even remember taking it off."

Even the director's accompanist was not up to par. She went screaming down the Pensacola beach, "Hey, Uncle John," when uncle was at home.

All around me, I see everybody doing it—catching bugs, spiders, and all types of interesting insects, that is. Even in my location, I can hear some people yelling across Tut green, "Hey, I've found a nice, brown, six-legged bug. Do you want it?" Some music programs are delayed so that one of the singers could capture a "live" spider for her roommate.

Serenity, peace, and joy remain

Never ending,

Never blending, never bending,

Loving, living, never leaving,

Ever growing, never grieving.

Ah, sweet peace, happy tomorrow,

Gay life, no sorrow.

Love, peace, and joy remaining,

Never lost, late, never refraining.

There to grasp, there to hold,

For the strong, weak, and the bold.

Ah, love, the quest of happiness,

Beauteous, wonderful, blessedness.

Increasing, never ceasing,

Growing, never slowing.

Young love, old love, past love,
new love,
Clean, pure, sure love from above.

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HONORS DAY CONVOCATION—Scene of the occasion honoring students outstanding in scholarship. Special awards, and citations were presented to various students. Dr. S. E. Gerard Priestley, professor of political science, was the featured speaker for the program. In the background is the Ramsay High School Choir, Birmingham, who provided special music for the convocation. Platform occupants were Dr. H. W. Eber, presenting awards; Dr. Howard M. Phillips, welcoming guests; Dr. Priestley, Dr. M. L. Orr, Sr., receiving a special citation; and a representative from Loveman's, awarding a scholarship.

Two New Honorary Societies Are Organized On Campus

Two new local honorary societies are now functioning on the Alabama College campus. Eta Sigma Phi, scholastic fraternity with emphasis on leadership and character, and Delta Theta Pi, leadership fraternity for men, will begin activities.

Charter members of Eta Sigma Phi are Neal Shirley, Patty Talley, Nancy McCary, Mary Kidd, Jane Graham, Mary Katherine Wilson, Jessie Mae Lyles, Barbara White, Bonnie Bowdon.

Laura Belle Norris, Rosalind White, Polly Holliday, Katherine Morton, Barbara Walker, Gene McCutchen, Sue Swann. Juniors: Sue Chumley, Peggy Thompson, Priscilla Bryant, Arthur Garrett, and Bonnie Henley.

Scholarship requirements for the junior-senior group include an over-all average of 2.5 for the juniors and an over-all average of 2.00 or above for the seniors. Only 2% of the total number of students in the student body shall be elected.

Invited to become members of Delta Theta Pi were Neal Shirley, Albert Van Cleave, Arthur Garrett, Charles Bence, Charles Adams, Ira Walker, Charles Lardent, Bruce McClanahan, John Scott, Roy Hilton, and Darrol Pharris.

Eligibility in this organization is open to sophomore, junior, and senior men according to the number of hours and grade point accumulation.

In order to be inducted into the group, a member must have gained special distinction in one of the following collegiate activities: scholarship; student government, social and religious affairs; publications; speech, music, drama, and other arts; or athletics.

The charter members of this group were presented in the Honors Day convocation May 5.

The constitution, by-laws, emblem and seal will be determined by the members of the group.



CAROLYN McINNIS

McInnis Selected S.G.A. Treasurer

Carolyn McInnis is the new treasurer of the 1959-60 Student Government Association.

She was selected by the new executive council with the approval of the Business Manager, Lee A. Barclay.

The treasurer is selected as a freshman with the consideration of four year attendance at Alabama College.

The duties of the treasurer include the direction of allocation of budgets for student organizations under student government.

A business administration major, Carolyn replaces Roma Creel, a graduating senior.

Concert Features School Of Music

The Alabama College School of Music will present a concert in Palmer Auditorium on Sunday, May 17 at 4 p.m.

The college choir, chorale, orchestra and brass choir will join in the presentation of the program.

"The Gloria" by Vivaldi will be performed by the college choir and the orchestra under the direction of Dr. Arthur Frazer, professor of music. Green's BLESSED ART THOSE THAT ARE UNDEFILED will be presented by the college chorale and the orchestra.

For the final number, O CLAP YOUR HANDS by Vaughn-Williams, the choir, chorale, brass choir, and organ will combine.

John Fesperman Presents Recital

John Fesperman, associate professor of music, will present an organ recital in Palmer Auditorium on May 11 at 8:15 p.m.

The first half of the program will consist of works by Couperin, Sweelinck, and Bach. The second half will consist of works by present day American composers: Pinton; Fromm; and Schwartz. Schwartz and his wife presented a program on this campus two years ago.

Capital Firm To Develop Master Plan

The architectural firm, Sherlock, Smith, and Adams, of Montgomery, will be in charge of developing a master plan for Alabama College.

In his announcement, Dr. Howard Phillips, president, said that the firm was approved by the Board of Trustees at their recent meeting on the campus.

The master plan will include locating of buildings, extending facilities, and preparing to meet the goals outlined in the ten year development plan under which the college is now working.

This plan will include several new buildings such as a new dormitory for men, a new library, a new physical education building, a new classroom buildings, and an athletic field and bleachers.

Other major improvements outlined in the program are a student activities building converted from the present library, a better water supply and distribution system, sewage disposal system, electrical distribution system, and the overhauling of the steam heat system.

Buildings in need of repair are Palmer, Main, Laundry, Calkins, Bloch, Comer, Kitchen and Dining Hall. Furniture replacement or repair is also in order for these buildings.

A booklet entitled "Alabama College, Something New" was recently distributed to all legislators and interested persons throughout the state.

The information outlines the situation in which the college finds itself as well as pointing out the needs of the school. These objectives should be met within the ten year development plan.

Dr. Phillips explains the purpose of the plan in this manner, "Neither education nor its needs can be homogenized! We are attempting to define our needs in accordance with our stated objectives and purposes as a coeducational institution."

If the master plan develops, Alabama College can facilitate 2500 students in comparison to the 984 regular students enrolled for the academic year 1958-1959. Some 152 additional students are taught by resident faculty plan.

Fraternity To Fete 12 New Members

The Alabama College chapter of Alpha Lambda Delta, national honor society for freshman women, will initiate twelve new members at a special meeting May 11.

Initiates are: Ellen Clyde Cook, Judith Davis, Sharon Summers, Sara Jeter, Peggy Capell, Mrs. Lola T. Christiansen, Irma Harrell, Mary Ethel Horne, Margaret Kathryn Jeffres, Elizabeth Lusk, Joan Murphree, Margaret Stallworth, and Helen Brasfield.

The new members will be honored at a tea in Reynolds Hall following the initiation meeting.

Officers for the current year are: president, Nancy Carolyn Lewis; vice president, Carolyn Moody; secretary, Jeanette Peel; treasurer, Kitty Stansell.

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Boy, Girl Question Invoked By Andrew

I was over in Bloch again the other day. Those birds in those cages simply fascinate me. I never did feel tempted to eat them though. Speaking of eating let me put a plug in here, milk outside the dining hall surely is good. I can't look at the birds too long though, they are too fierce.

The class bell rang so I picked me out a room and got in just before a blushing teacher slammed the door on my tail. It got awfully hot in there with all the windows shut and even the transom closed. You humans have the oddest classes. The teacher was talking about the difference in boys and girls. I suppose humans have to have instruction in that sort of thing, but we cats just know.

You know this reminds me of how I got my name. I was over in the drama office just calmly sitting in the middle of the desk when this certain person asked three others certain persons if I were a boy or a girl! I've never been so humiliated in my life. And to top it off I'm labeled with this person's name.

Don't tell anybody, but one afternoon when nobody was around I snuck up to the art department. I wasn't too careful about where I was walking and before I knew it I had tracked all over somebody's canvas. But, some crazy faculty member is bound to buy it—so no worry.

Like me. I don't worry and I don't have half a leg. If this article is not up to par, blame the hit and run driver that's got the other half of my leg.

ANDREW THE CAT

Seniors Take Oath Citizenship Day

Citizenship Day, April 21, was highlighted by special events at the 11:00 convocation in Palmer Hall. The stately procession of robed faculty and graduating seniors engendered an atmosphere of seriousness and thoughtfulness.

Following the national anthem, the salute to the American flag, led by Patty Talley, senior class president, and the invocation by Jennie Cotney, Chief Justice, the Alabama College Choir sang "Blessed Art Thou O Lord God."

In the absence of Senator John Sparkman, Dr. Lucille Griffith, professor of history, gave the address. Emphasizing citizenship in America, Dr. Griffith traced American history and the development of American thoughts. She showed how the two have been significant in the growth of citizenship in the melting pot of America. She stressed the place of the college graduate as a citizen in America and concluded with a plea for active participation in citizenship.

The Citizenship Oath was given by President Howard Phillips to the graduating class. The faculty and seniors made their exit to the chords of "Grand Jew" played by John Fesperman, associate professor of music.

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YIPPEE, IT'S STOP DAY—Shouts lovely Marlene Rowell as she tosses the books to the sky and heads for a day of fun. This blue-eyed **CAMPUS QUEEN** is an elementary education major from Selma. A junior, she was a cheerleader for the Purples during College Night for the past two years. Marlene is also active in modern dance. She was featured as a soloist in the recent Orchestris program.

Superior Work In Chemistry Wins High Honors For Morton

Katherine Morton was one of twelve students honored by the Alabama Chapter of the Americal Institute of Chemist.

Medals were awarded to these students who were graduating from their respective colleges with the highest scholastic average in chemistry.

Katherine is graduating with a double major in biology and chemistry.

The reception was held April 30 at the Bankhead Hotel in Birmingham.

Dr. Howard Phillips, President of Alabama College, gave the main address. Katherine responded on the behalf of all the recipients after the medals were presented.

Accompanying Katherine were W. J. Kennerly, professor of chemistry, and Dr. R. B. Reynolds, professor of chemistry.

After graduation, Katherine will intern in medical technology at Emory University. She has been awarded a scholarship by the Kellogg Foundation.

Katherine has served as laboratory assistant in the Freshman Chemistry class. She has also worked in the Chemistry Department for three years.

Extra-curricula activities include: editor of the *Alabamian*, vice-president and treasurer of the Biology Club, business manager and social chairman of the Theatre Council, publicity and

business manager of Gold Cabinet. Honorary societies are Tri-Beta, biology; Pi Delta Epsilon, journalism; Pi Tau Chi, religion; Lambda Sigma Pi, Senior Women; Eta Sigma Pi, scholarship.

Picnic To Honor Home Ec Majors

A picnic honoring the senior home ec majors will be given next Wednesday at 5:30 at Brierfield.

The faculty of the home ec department is giving the party and will prepare all of the food. The staff is made up of Dr. Lois Acklerley, Miss Ethel Bickham, Miss Sara Nell Lightsey, Miss Mabel Owsley, Mrs. Florance Folsom, and Miss Mary Larkin.

The seniors being honored are Bertha Masterson, Mary Katherine Wilson, Billie Moore, Elsie Snellgrove, Judy Daniels, Barbara Lett, Rosalind White, Mrs. Nellie Peak, Mrs. Elizabeth Vail, Barbara White, Jade Higgins, Thelma Myers, Mrs. Patricia Shewbart, Carolyn Kornegay, and Peggy Stewart.

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Dr. Hallie Farmer To Speak At Iowa Wesleyan Banquet

Dr. Hallie Farmer, former head of Social Science department of Alabama College, will be the Iowa Wesleyan Alumni Banquet speaker June 6. The selection of an eminent woman is in line with the theme of special honors for women in commemoration of the graduation 100 years ago of Wesleyan's first coed.

Always active in civic affairs, Dr. Farmer has taken leadership in government, legislative programs, the American Association of University Women, Business and Professional Women's Club, and professional organizations.

She is first vice-president of American Association of University Women and has been national legislative chairman and chairman of the survey committee on the national level, as well as Alabama state president. In B.P.W.C. she has been state legislative chairman, state education chairman,

and state coordination chairman for Alabama.

Her extensive first-hand legislative experience brought her to leadership as state president of the Alabama Joint Legislative Council and second vice-president of the National Council on State Legislation. Her ability has been used in the Bureau of Public Administration of the University of Alabama and she has been state coordinator of the Women's Civil Defense Activities. She served on the town council of Montealeo, Ala., eight years while a resident there.

Her professional memberships include Southern Political Association, American Society of Public Administration, American Historical Associations, Alabama State Historical Association, and the Mississippi Historical Association.

A native of Anderson, Indiana, Dr. Farmer has returned there in retirement. Her early education was received there and her A.B. degree is from Indiana State Teachers College. Both the A.M. and Ph.D. degrees are from the University of Wisconsin. Alabama College conferred the LL.D. degree upon her in 1956.

Her early teaching was in the schools of Madison County, Indiana. After college graduation, she taught in the high schools of Muncie, Ind., Crawfordsville, Ind., and Springfield, Ill. After receiving the master's degree, she spent three years on the faculty of Ball State Teachers College in Indiana. Since 1927 she has been on the faculty of Alabama State College for Women. From 1949 to 1956 she was head of the Social Science Division. She is now professor emerita.

Books Dr. Farmer has written include **Legislative Apportionment; Local and Private Legislation; Legislative Process in Alabama; Standing Committees, Recess and Interim Committees; and Cost of Legislation.**

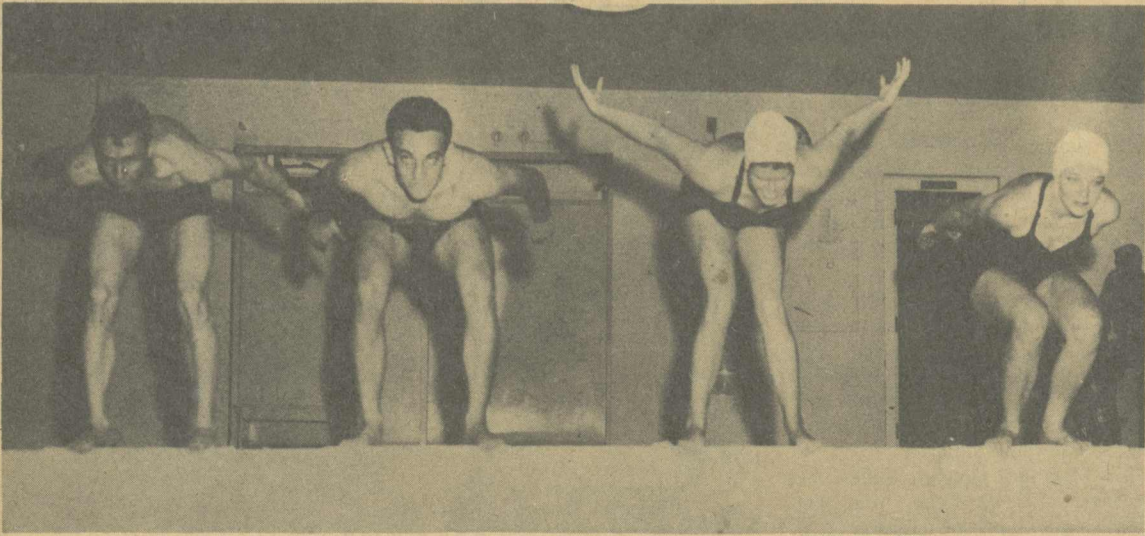
The Alumni Banquet will be open to friends of Iowa Wesleyan College as well as alumni. The latter, however, have priority for tickets.

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AND THEY'RE OFF—Competing in the intramural swim meet, under the sponsorship of the Recreation Association. Ready for the dive are Jerry Linley, Manuel Fernandez, Emily Greene, and Emily Braly.

Hanson Defeats Ramsay To Win The Tournament

Hanson, completing a perfect record of first place winnings in all women's intramural sports, won the women's softball intramural tournament by defeating Ramsay for the second straight time.

In the first inning Ramsay's Shirley Hill got to first on an error by the second baseman and was followed by Frances Benton who popped one up to the pitcher. Linda Sparkman walked and Jo Veal was out by a fly to the third baseman. Shirley Hill, now on third, stole home for the first run of the ball game, while Linda Sparkman Ramsay's pitcher, advanced to second but due to the third out, gave no threat of another run.

Barbara Newton marked up Hanson's first out, after which Carolyn Lewis went to first on a short-stop's error and stole second. Shorty Hill, who courtesy-ran for B. J. Vogel, stole second and third and scored run two when Jane Scott got to second on the third baseman's error. Jane Scott chalked up Hanson's third run before the first inning came to a close.

In Ramsay's second inning, Pattie Crawford walked but was out on an overthrow to second. Next up, Adah Troup, struck out and was followed by Joyce Willis, Shirley Hill, and Frances Benton, all of whom walked. The inning was then brought to a close by Linda Sparkman's strike out.

Hanson's Laura Bailey walked and then was forced out at second by Frances Mann, who reached first. The inning came to a close as Judy Cain, Hanson's pitcher, struck out and Barbara Newton grounded out to the pitcher.

Jo Veal started Ramsay's third inning with a fly to center field. Margery Stephens reached first on a catcher's error after 3 strikes. Lois Ann Ray ran two bases on second baseman's error and next up, Pattie Crawford made it to first on a walk. Adah Troup then

forced Pattie Crawford out at second for the second out, the third of which came as Lois Ann Ray was tagged out while trying to score.

Semi-Final Round

In the first inning it looked like the beginning of a pitchers' duel between Hanson's Jo DeVaughn and Ramsay's Linda Sparkman. It was three up and three down for both teams in the first inning.

The second inning started out very much like the first. Then with only one out, Ramsay's Margie Stephens singled to right field and reached second on the right fielder's error. The next two batters struck out.

Laura Bailey started the second inning for Hanson with a line drive to center field, then advanced to second on a single by Pat Kelly. With two base runners, a wild pitch was delivered and both runners advanced one base, but the inning ended without either having scored.

The third inning was the big one for Hanson. The pitcher, Jo DeVaughn, began with a sharp single to center. Then Barbara Newton reached first on the second baseman's error and advanced to third, while Jo DeVaughn was tagged trying to steal third. With two outs, Carolyn Hill singled, sending Barbara Newton to third. Frances Mann then reached first on an error by the right fielder. Barbara Newton scored the second run of the game. Carolyn Hill scored the second run on a passed ball. Laura Bailey then singled to right field, and took two bases on a right fielder's error. On the error, runs three and four came in for Hanson. Jane Scott, substituting for Pat Kelly, singled to center, and advanced to second on a passed ball. Laura Bailey scored run number five on an overthrow ball, and Jane Scott came in for the sixth run.

Shirley Baker, substituting for Sara Wright, reached first on an error by the shortstop, but was called out for being out of the base line. She attempted a short cut to third base by going across the pitcher's mound, eliminating second base.

Hanson, Second East Napier Victorious In Swimming Meet

Hanson and Second East Napier swam to victory in the intramural swim meet of April 29 with Tommie Lou Waldrop and Jimmy Eddins taking the honors in the diving event. The results of the events were as follows:

Women's 50-yard Free Style

First, B. J. Vogel, time 35.8 seconds (Hanson); second, Priscilla Hubert, 39.2 (Main); third, Jo Veal 41.2 (Ramsay); fourth, Helga Nauman 42.2 (Main).

Men's 50-yard Free Style

First, Buddy Gregg, time 27.8 seconds (2nd East); second, Phil Savino 28.5 (2nd West); third, Vance Bush 28.7 (2nd West); fourth, Earl Lewis 28.8 (2nd East); fifth, Doss Powell 29 (3rd East).

Women's Breast Stroke Form

Rosalie Hart (Hanson), Christel Ludewig (Hanson), Mary Ellen Bruhn (Hanson), Margie Stephens (Ramsay), Helga Nauman (Main). (Backcrawl, Breast Stroke and Free Style).

Laura Bailey, Christel Ludewig, B. J. Vogel, 56.8 (Hanson), Tommie Lou Waldrop, Beth Lusk, Priscilla Hubert, 58.8 (Main), Jo Veal, Emily Greene, Martha Stephens, 65.8 (Ramsay).

Men's 75-yard Medley Relay

Bobby Harrison, Earl Lewis, Buddy Gregg, 43.0 (Second East); Phil Savino, Bobby Workman, Jerry Barton, 51.4 (2nd West); Bob Reynolds, Truitt Moore, Robert Bagby, 51.5 (3rd East); Bill Coleman, Frank Whatley, Glen Powers, 55 (3rd East).

Women's Side Stroke Form

B. J. Vogel (Hanson), Jeanette Edwards (Ramsay), Beth Lusk (Main), Margie Stephens (Ramsay), Dawn Floyd (Hanson).

Women's 25yd Breast Stroke Speed

Christel Ludewig 20.6 (Hanson), Margie Stephens 28.4 (Ramsay), Martha Stephens 28.5 (Ramsay).

Men's 25-yd Breast Stroke Speed

Earl Lewis 15.1 (2nd East), Harry Childs 16.2 (3rd East), George Sphuler 1.00 (3rd East), Bill Coleman 18.0 (3rd East), Larry King 18.2 (3rd East).

Women's 25-yd Back Crawl Speed

Emily Green 16.8 (Ramsay), Beth Lusk 20.6 (Main), Tommie Lou Waldrop 20.8 (Main), Rosalie Hart 21.4 (Hanson), Jane Scott 23.6 (Hanson).

Men's 25-yd Back Crawl Speed

Buddy Gregg 15.6 (2nd East), Bobby Harrison 16.0 (2nd East), Phil Savino 16.5 (2nd East), Jerry Linley 16.8 (3rd East), Buddy Langford 17.9 (2nd East).

Women's 100-yd Free Style Relay

Emily Greene, Jo Veal, Jeanette Edwards, Margie Stephens, 1:10.8 (Ramsay); Jane Scott, Laura Bailey, Jij Wilson, Mary Ellen Bruhn, 1:12.4 (Hanson); Tommie Lou Waldrop, Beth Lusk, Helga Nauman, Priscilla Hubert 1:13 (Main).

Men's 100-yd Free Style Relay

Doss Powell, Bill Coleman, Frank Whatley, Harry Childs .52 (3rd East); Buddy Gregg, Earl Lewis, Benny Steward, Jimmy Eddins, 52.2 (2nd East); Bobby Workman, Ray Lenderman, Jerry Barton, Vance Bush, 54.6 (2nd

Falcons Lose Two Straight, Bounce Back To Pound Athens

Alabama College's Falcons gave Howard's Bulldogs their worst scare of the year behind the masterful pitching of Foozy Findley last Tuesday. Findley held the Dogs scoreless until the top of the fifth when they pushed across one run. The Falcons came back to tie things up in the bottom of the sixth with Don Miller scoring after a beautiful display of base running.

Howard finally went ahead to stay in the top of the eighth with two big runs. The Falcons couldn't scratch in the bottom of the eighth and the game was rained out before they got another turn at bat.

A. C.'s Falcons fought hard for their second straight win over the Cadets from Marion Institute before the largest "out of town" crowd of the year but couldn't hold on to their early inning lead and finally dropped the game 5-4 when Marion scored twice in the last half of the eighth.

Ralph Hunt, the senior member of the A. C. pitching staff, went the route, giving up six hits; two each in the first, fourth, and eighth innings. Hunt struck out seven and walked only two. He also rapped out two singles to lend some spark to the Falcon attack.

Kent Lowery and Don Miller made several sparkling defensive plays on the left side of the Falcon infield. Ralph Thrasher broke the Cadets' eighth inning rally by catching Ray Copeland trying to steal second. Miller was the top man in the A. C. attack with three singles.

A. C. 18, Athens 9

Coach Frank Lightfoot's A. C. Falcons pounded out sixteen hits to snap a five game losing streak with an 18-9 decision over Athens College.

Foozy Findley pitched fine ball for seven and two-thirds innings before retiring in favor of Ralph Hunt. Besides his fine pitching performance, Findley added a triple and a single to the Falcon attack.

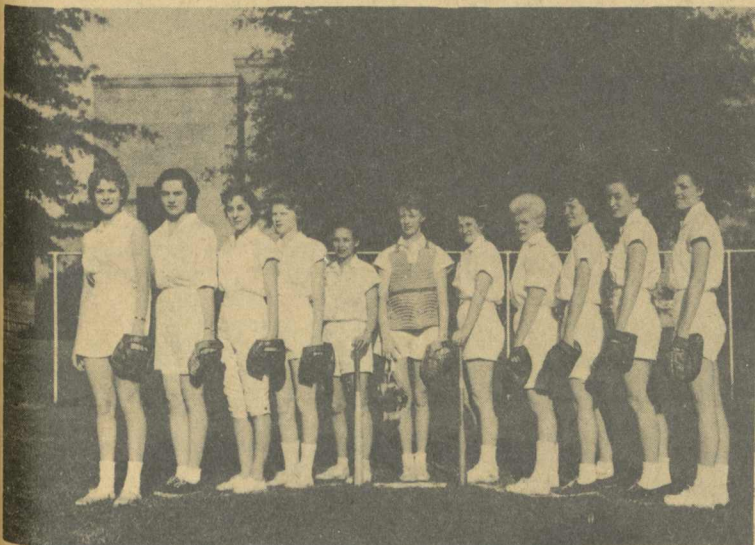
Ralph Thrasher gave a fine display of base running in stealing home three times. He also had two singles, a double and a triple in five trips to the plate.

The whole squad burst out of their batting slump in great style. Jerry Harrison went three for five; Ronnie Bryant was one for five, his one hit being a booming triple. Kent Lowery went two for five, including a triple; Joe Earl Foshee got two singles in four trips, Neal Shirley and Donnie Jacks each snagged a single. Don Miller, who is usually one of the team's leading hitters, had a bad day at the plate but scored one of the Falcon runs after an Athens error.

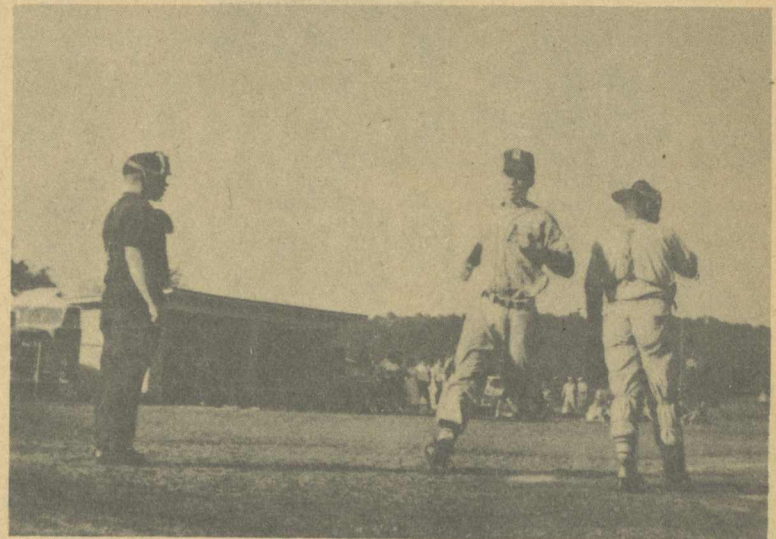
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HANSON DOES IT AGAIN—Winning the intramural softball tournament, Hanson completed a perfect record of first place winnings in all women's intramurals involving team play. Losing only the golf phase of the intramural program, Hanson has copped all other sports. Composing the winning team are: (left to right) Barbara Newton, Carolyn Lewis, Sara Wright, Frances Mann, Shorty Hill, Laura Bailey, Carolyn Pinson, B. J. Vogel, Pat Kelly, Judy Cain and Jo DeVaughn.



CHALK UP ANOTHER RUN—For the A. C. Falcons in their rampage against Athens in their 18-9 victory. Tagging home plate is Ronnie Bryant, whose booming triple added fire to the A. C. hitting streak.



CATALINA CLUB SWIMMERS—As they appeared in their annual spring program May 6, 7. Ready for the show are: (left to right) Gene McCutchen, Rosalie Hart. Standing, Frances Whorton, Vance Bush, Josh Blakely, and Christel Ludewig.

Student Government Representatives Journey To Auburn For State Meeting

The Student Government Association of Colleges and Universities of Alabama held a state conference at Auburn April 24. The purpose was to promote co-operation among the different schools, to exchange ideas on varied phases of student government work, and to acquaint student leaders with their counterparts in other Alabama schools.

Representing Alabama College at this convention were Janice Wood, Shirley Baker, Flora Clark, Curt Bassett, Roma Creel, and Clyde Hoffman.

These students attended various discussions on finance, entertainment, school spirit, yearbooks, newspapers, women's student government and a general student government conference on "What Is Student Government?" They discussed the legislative, judicial, and executive branches of student government. They also discussed the election of Student Government Association officers.

Alabama College's Roma Creel,

retiring S. G. A. treasurer, led the discussion on finance. They talked about the ways for setting up student government budgets, appropriation of money, and the different functions of the S. G. A. treasurer.

A banquet was held Friday night in the Auburn Union Banquet Room. Dr. Leslie Wright, president of Howard College, gave the keynote address entitled "Service Above Self."

Summer School Sets Opening

The 1959 summer session will be eleven weeks in length, June 8 to August 21. The first term will consist of six weeks, June 8 to July 17, during which time classes will be conducted for five days a week.

The second term will consist of five weeks, July 20 to August 21, during which time classes will be conducted six days a week.

Special Program Given For "Bard"

The annual celebration of William Shakespeare's birthday was sponsored by the Junior-Senior English Club and the Shakespeare class on April 20 in Comer Auditorium.

Walter Coppedge, associate professor of English, acted as master of ceremonies for the evening. Beginning the program was a group of eight girls, who performed two folk dances possibly seen by Shakespeare at one time.

The Madrigal singers, under the auspices of John Fesperman, associate professor of music, sang several Madrigals that were popular during the "Bard's" time.

The program was then climaxed by the announcing of the winner and runnerup of the poetry contest. The best poem about Shakespeare was written by Angeline Waites, the title being "Impromptu on Shakespeare." Runner-up was Becky Broom with her sonnet on Shakespeare. Angeline Waites was awarded an edition of the collected works of Shakespeare.

The final entertainment was provided by Hope Neely, Jimmy Car-tee, Rosalie Hart, and Paul Kiparsky who performed "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets" by George Bernard Shaw.

College Building To Be Dedicated

The building housing the swimming pool will be dedicated to Dr. Margaret McCall, former head of the health, physical education and recreation department in the near future.

Dr. Howard Phillips announced that the Board of Trustees had approved the dedication.

Chairman of the committee for unveiling and dedication is Dr. Bernice Finger, acting chairman of the department at present.

Dr. McCall served on the faculty of Alabama College for 20 years.



AND AROUND WE GO—Sing these milkmaids as they dance for Shakespeare's Birthday at the annual celebration sponsored by the English Club and the Shakespeare Class. Dancers are: (left to right) Lynda Mims, Judy Cain, Janice Jones, Mary Lois Timbes, Joan Murphree, Pat Galloway, Jij Wilson, and Pat Kelly.

The AAUW Fetes '59 Seniors At Reynolds Hall Reception

The American Association of University Women entertained the senior women at a tea in Reynolds Hall on April 28.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Mrs. William R. Van Gelder, state president of the Alabama Division.

Mrs. Van Gelder is an associate professor of English at Howard College. She has served as state president since 1954.

Patty Talley, senior class president, was given honorary membership into the local chapter of AAUW for the forthcoming year.

Mrs. Van Gelder's talk was on the work and value of AAUW. She traced its history of accomplishments. She emphasized the status of women in education.

AAUW awards 40 fellowships to foreign and native women who are working on the doctoral level. The foreign women come to the United States for study. Natives, in turn, go abroad.

Hostesses for the reception were faculty members and town people holding membership in the organization.

Pi Kappa Lambda Receives Members

Two Alabama College students are new members of Pi Kappa Lambda, national music fraternity. Rosalind Reed, junior, and Polly Holliday, senior, met the required qualifications for membership.

The organization, which is set up along the lines of Phi Beta Kappa, has been functioning on the campus since 1948.

The members must be in the upper 1/5 of the graduating senior class and upper 1/10 of the junior class to be eligible.

Do You Think for Yourself? (THIS SHORT QUIZ WILL TIP YOU OFF!*)



1. When your friends impart confidences, do you feel (A) uncomfortable, or (B) complimented?

A ☐ B ☐



2. Do you prefer a task which demands (A) the organization of complex details, or (B) a constant flow of ideas?

A ☐ B ☐



3. Would your first reaction to a difficult committee appointment be that you had been (A) "stuck," or (B) honored?

A ☐ B ☐



4. If you were a contestant on a quiz program which of these question categories would you prefer: (A) popular songs of today, or (B) current events?

A ☐ B ☐



5. Do you find that you work or study more effectively (A) under supervision, or (B) on your own schedule?

A ☐ B ☐



6. Is it your feeling that close friendships with superiors would be (A) a great help, or (B) actually a hindrance to your career with a firm?

A ☐ B ☐



7. Which, to your mind, has the greater influence on you in making a good grade: (A) the instructor, or (B) the subject matter of a course?

A ☐ B ☐



8. Do you believe that the saying "haste makes waste" is (A) always true, or (B) often false?

A ☐ B ☐

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A ☐ B ☐

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Jordan, Colwell To Be Speakers Class Of 1959 To Receive Degrees On Sunday

Wilkinson Is Dean Of Men

James R. Wilkinson will take over as Dean of Men at Alabama College. He will also serve as an assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation. President Howard Phillips announces.



J. R. WILKINSON

The appointment will become effective during the summer session of 1959.

Wilkinson is a native of Cincinnati, Ohio, although his parents resided in Birmingham for many years. His mother is an alumna of Alabama College.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree in 1952 and the Master of Education degree in 1958 from the Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. From 1952-1954 he served in the Army Medical Corps. He also played professional baseball in the farm system of the Cleveland Indians from 1954-1956.

During the past year, Wilkinson served as Assistant Dean of Students at the University of Alabama. Prior to this he was supervisor of residence halls at Miami University.



DR. G. RAY JORDAN

'59 Faculty Adds Seven Instructors

Seven new faculty members will be an Alabama College campus next fall. The following have been released by the administration:

Ronald N. Denison, assistant professor of speech, from Flint, Michigan; John B. Lott, assistant professor of English from Nashville, Tennessee; Chester L. Palmer, chairman of health, physical education, and recreation department, from Los Angeles, California; Neal Shirley as mathematics instructor.

Donald C. Stevens, instructor in the physics and mathematics department from Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio.

Paton L. Woodham as assistant professor of mathematics from Montgomery.

James R. Wilkinson, Dean of Men and assistant professor of health, physical education, and recreation, from the University of Alabama where he was the assistant to the Dean of Students.

Morning Events Begin Program

The Commencement Exercises for the graduating class of 1959 will be held in Palmer Hall auditorium on May 31.

The day's activities will begin with the baccalaureate service at 11:00 on Sunday morning. Rev. G. Ray Jordan from Emory University will bring the sermon. Reverends David Kaylor, James H. Chesnutt, and Edward Glover will aid in officiating at the services. Music will be presented by Miss Elizabeth Armstrong with John Fesperman at the organ. Both musicians are associate professors of music.

The graduation exercises will begin at 3:00 p.m. The seniors will then receive their degrees. Invocation will be by the Rev. Edward W. Glover and the benediction will be by the Rev. David Kaylor. Ernest Cadman Colwell, president of Southern California School of Theology, will give the commencement address.

Authorization for conferring the degrees will be by Nelson O. Fuller, chairman of the Board of Trustees. Dean M. L. Orr will present the candidates for degrees and President Howard M. Phillips will confer the degrees on the graduating seniors.

Dr. Betty Louise Lumby, associate professor of music, will present the organ music for the occasion.

On Saturday, May 30, the seniors and their guests will attend the Alumni-Senior Breakfast in Anna Irvin Dining Hall. That afternoon they will be the honored guests of President and Mrs. Phillips at a garden party at Flowerhill.



DR. ERNEST C. COLWELL

May Graduates To Be Honored At Flowerhill

A reception honoring the graduating seniors will be given by Dr. and Mrs. Howard Phillips at Flowerhill on May 30 between the hours of four-thirty and six o'clock.

Special guests will be the families and friends of the seniors and the commencement speakers, Dr. Ernest Colwell and Dr. G. Ray Jordan, who will be the house guests of the Phillipses.

It will be a garden party featuring a mixed spring color motif. Members of the administration staff will assist in serving.

The receiving line will be composed of Dr. and Mrs. Phillips.

Seniors Total To Fifty-Six

Graduating as the class of 1959 will be 84 seniors. The conferring of degrees will be at the commencement exercises in Palmer Hall auditorium on May 31.

The May candidates are: LaRue Word Armstrong, Martha Jo Anton, Louise Jeanette Bishop, Ruby Joan Black, Wanza Lois Cauthen, Hazel Ann Cook, Sara Jennie Conney, Roma Creel, Mayre Elizabeth Faucett.

Rebecca Chandler Gantt, Jane Graham, Johnnie Frances Gross, Jade Elizabeth Higgins, Patricia Gay Hodges, Polly Dean Holliday, Sarah Jacolyn Inman, Alice Ann Ketchum, Nancy Carolyn Kornegay, Margurite Cecelia Lane, Shirley Ann Langford, Terry Joy Langford.

Jessie Mae Lyles, Patsy Leona McAliley, Alice Marlene McBee, Nancy Grace McCary, Mary Gene McCutchen, Bertha Leigh Master-son, Barbara Ann Maul, Billie Jean Moore, Rose Katherine Morton, Robert Chaffin Murray, Thelma Ruth Myers, Laura Belle Norris.

Patricia Hammond Perreault, Elizabeth Ann Queen, Dorothy Ann Ratliff, Jane Armistead Rice, Mary Ann Riley, Jerry Nadine Sexton, Patricia Ann Shewbart, A. Neal Shirley, Elsie Snellgrove, William Maurice Steiner, Peggy Fields Stewart, Frances Sue Swann.

Patty Elizabeth Talley, Anna Faye Thomas, Barbara Jean Turner, Frances Jean Turney, Jane Louise Venable, Lorna Marie West, Barbara Ann White, Rosalind Norris White, Bette Joyce Wilson, Mary Katharine Wilson, and Carolyn M. Woolley.

Candidates for summer degrees are: Mary Catherine Allison, Bonnie Jean Bowdon, Betty Jean Cofer, Lena Hewston Cook, Robbie Frye Cook, Judith Wana Daniels, Elizabeth Jean Findlay.

Miriam Kaley Findley, Harvey Allen Fleming, Jr., Mary Gene Fleming, Frances Louise Golson, Mary Katherine Hicks, Barbara Ann Lett, Carol Ann Lewis, Doris Ann McKinney, Carolyn Jeanette Mauldin.

Betty June Milam, Lucille Moor, Margaret Ann Morgan, Nolan John Palmer, Nellie Ruth Peak, Darrol Pharris, John A. Shuttlesworth, Llewellyn S. Thomas, Elizabeth M. Vail, Barbara Jean Walker, Patsy Jane Whitten, and Frances Yarbrough.

Student Organizations Elect Officers, Members For Fall

Various clubs and organizations on the campus have elected new members for next year. Some have chosen new officers.

Catalina: New officers: president, Christel Ludewig; vice-president, Mary Ellen Bruhn; secretary, Tommie Lou Waldrop; publicity chairman, Liz Autry. New members will be announced in the fall.

Kappa Delta Pi: New officers: president, Priscilla Bryant; vice-president, Sue Chumley; secretary, Peggy Thompson; treasurer, Pattie Jean Crawford; historian, Joanne Rogers. New members are Nancy Grace McCary, Laura Belle Norris, Etta Lou Shipp, Verna Cook, Sue Chumley, Peggy Thompson, and Mary Ellen Grant.

Kappa Mu Epsilon: New officers have not been chosen. New members are: Verna Cook, Mary Ethel Horn, Bruce McClanahan, Kitty Stansell, and Albert Van Cleave.

Kappa Pi: New officers: president, Elizabeth Edwards; vice-

president, James Brantley; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Vivian Kliner. New members are James Brantley, Mrs. Vivian Kliner, Gene Brymer, Dot Tut-hill, Mrs. B. J. Knowles.

Mu Delta Alpha: New officers are not elected until fall. New members: Helen Brasfeild, Zoie Baum, Mary Ellen Grant, Pat Mashburn, Peggy Moody, Helga Naumann, Celeste Parker, Lois Ann Ray, Pat Smith, Kathy Wilmer, and Janice Wood.

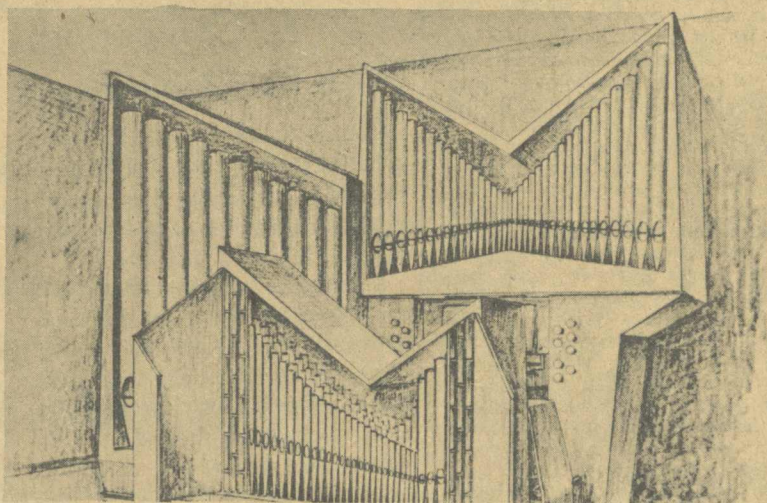
National Collegiate Players: New officers have not been elected. New members are: Frances Benton, Ed Cooper, Harris Holly, Bettie LeGrande, Bertha Masterson, Jo Anne Mynard, and Lorna West.

Omicron Nu: Peggy Thompson, president and only member.

Pi Delta Epsilon: New officers are: president, Margaret Tait; vice-president, Sylvia Pound; secretary-treasurer, Laura Bell LaBorde.

Pi Delta Phi: Sara Lou Berry.

New Flentrop Organ On Order For College Music Department



By Sue Bedgood

The Alabama College School of Music will have new facilities with the addition of a new Flentrop organ to its department. This will be the fourth organ built by Flentrop for a college in this country, the other three being at Oberlin, Harvard, and Salem College in North Carolina. There is also one of his organs at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church here in Montevallo.

Even though Flentrop is one of the best known organ builders in

the world, he builds only a few instruments because he personally supervises the building of each organ.

The organ being built for the School of Music is of unique case design. It will have twelve stops, two keyboards, a pedal board and will be of traditional organ shape—that is, pipes in front of and behind the player, and the pedal pipes to one side.

Flentrop has visited Alabama College on two occasions.

Four On Staff Resign Posts

Four faculty members have turned in their resignation to Dr. Howard Phillips.

Resigning are Roy M. Montgomery, assistant professor of English; Dr. Robert B. Reynolds, professor of chemistry; John Fesperman, associate professor of music; and Richard C. Anderson, assistant professor of mathematics.

Seniors Bid Au Revoir To "Halls Of A. C."

How we love the halls of A. C.
That surround us here today,
And we will not forget
Though we be far, far away.

Through the hallowed halls of A. C.
Every voice will bid farewell,
And shimmer off in twilight
Like the old Reynolds bell.

One day a hush will fall,
The footsteps of us all
Will echo down the halls and disappear,
But as we sadly start
Our journeys far apart
A part of every heart will linger here.

In the sacred halls of A. C.
Where we've lived and learned to know
That through the years we'll see you
In the sweet afterglow.

This song has lived with Alabama College for many years. It not only expresses how the seniors feel about Alabama College but also how their fellow students feel about them, as they start "a journey far apart."

The graduating class is facing a challenge of starting a new life. Memories of the past four years will serve as a foundation to meet the challenge offered by life. These memories will range from the first slide down Main's fire escape, the first upperclassmen's march, Crook Day, Citizenship Day, the last march—all down to the conferring of diplomas.

The last class to register as all women, the seniors have watched Alabama College make its biggest change in its history. They have changed with the college, thus making all the changes and growth possible.

Thus, it can truly be said that "a part of every heart will linger here" not only for the living and learning accumulated here but also for the historic crises met and triumphed over by the Class of 1959. Through the years Alabama College, its people, and its spirit will be remembered. Keep the best of it as you have "in the sacred halls of A. C." so that you may meet and triumph over life's crises in the same manner.

Good luck—Class of 1959!

From The President's Desk

The second year of my tenure in office as the President of Alabama College is rapidly coming to a close. The graduating exercises scheduled for May 31 will mark the end of the second academic year. These two years have been characterized by a wide variety of experiences, some of which have been most unusual and completely unanticipated.

Having completed twenty-nine years of continuous service as a teacher and administrator, without missing a single term, including all summer sessions, one should have encountered practically every problem existent in higher education. Moreover, it would seem logical to assume that twenty years of experience in a complex university, covering the educational spectrum from the extremes represented by a school of theology, a graduate school, and a school of medicine, including the research and professional "prima donnas", would certainly prepare one for any possibility that could occur in a four-year college. But such is not the case! Alabama College has presented some unique situations.

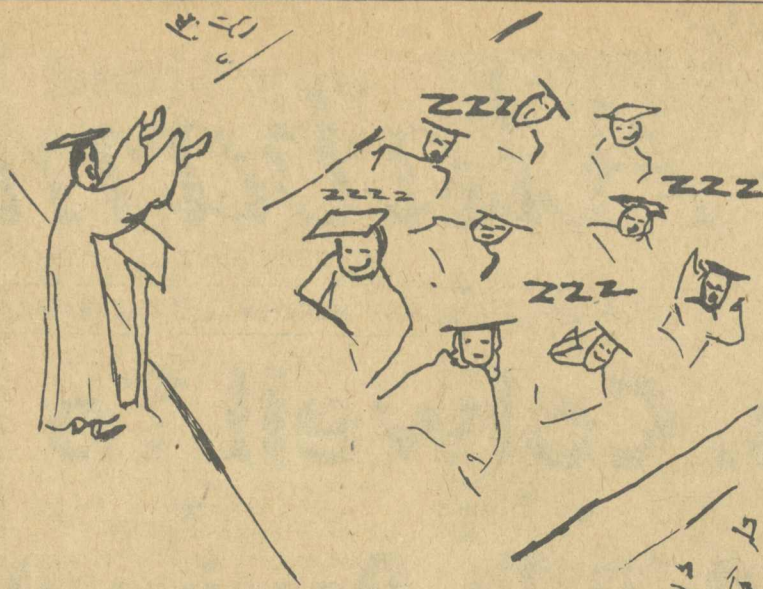
An examination of the recent developments within the college provides some important clues to use as a basis for an explanation. Perhaps even the oft-sought rationale will appear on the horizon.

All of us must remember that Alabama College is probably passing through the most difficult period of development throughout its entire history. One might even have the temerity to suggest that anything less than the total elimination of the college would not prove to be more difficult. To convert an institution deeply entrenched with fine traditions and exceedingly proud of its heritage as a college for women into a coeducational institution is not any easy assignment. Certainly the mere erection of a dormitory for men and the introduction of one or two curricula designed primarily for men will not provide adequate bases for successful operation.

The order of magnitude of the changes necessitated by the inauguration of coeducation is sufficient to have a profound and sometimes devastating effect on the morale of the personnel and the general operations of a college. A change of this type is difficult enough when introduced among those who have had similar experiences. Where the program is inaugurated among the uninitiated, its effects are tremendous. About the time one has recovered sufficiently from the traumatic experiences of the original shock to become useful again, he finds himself so completely inundated with the new and gigantic problems introduced by the new system that he is overwhelmed by them. Though the human being adjusts rapidly, it is expecting too much for us to assume that adjustments involved in these situations do not take several years. Adjustments are always made more difficult in a situation where you have long-standing traditionalists, the ever-present young Turks, and recent appointees who have to become properly acclimated. Only time and patience will create a climate where this gap can be abridged with effectiveness.

Of course, one of the great impediments imposed upon the progress of Alabama College was the appointment of a new president at this particular stage of its development. I am confident that the college could have moved forward with much greater strides had the administration in charge at the time of the inauguration of the new program continued throughout the transition period. Though the college has retained some of its traditions and certain vestiges of its modus operandi, the college has been forced by the introduction of coeducation almost to recreate itself. This situation has necessitated a period of "playing it by ear". Moreover, the honeymoon stage of the freshman year of any new administration inevitably must be followed by typical sophomoreitis.

In my opinion, Alabama College is well over "the hump". With the completion of the faculty's evaluation of all of the programs of the institution, with the final adoption of the amended reports of the ad hoc faculty committees, with the completion of a comparable



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study and series of recommendations by SGA, this fine institution can really move forward on a quality basis, provided the State will furnish the college adequate funds. Next year you can direct much of your energy into the completion of the molding of a great co-operative, dedicated, and inspired team of students, faculty and staff. The results will be an outstanding college that will receive international recognition.

May I take this opportunity to thank sincerely the students, the faculty and staff for their wonderful cooperation and for their support of the programs and procedures designed for the best interests of the college. There have been disagreements, mistakes, and disillusionments. Certainly, I have made my share of the mistakes. The college has survived all of these, and it has become a better institution. Most of us have profited by our experiences. Even those among us who have failed to demonstrate adequate maturity, whose impatience, unfairness and sense of personal infallibility have done irreparable damage, should profit by our experiences and use them for future improvement.

Certainly it has been my privilege to work two years with the finest group of students in America and a wonderful faculty and staff!

Convocation?

In an announcement to the students of Alabama College Tuesday, Dr. Howard Phillips stated that convocations would be discontinued at Alabama College next year. Never before in the history of this institution has there been no definite program for required group meetings. It is a deprivation to the student body that the convocation outline is being discontinued. For any body to function there must be unity, this unity being unattainable without group gatherings and group goals.

In the words of the president of this college, the present program has not been particularly successful. But this is no true basis for relinquishing the entire idea. With improved programs, not as frequently scheduled, better cohesion might be attainable. The entire student body will not be pleased by any situation set up, yet a part of education is learning to abide by and accept some ideas not in keeping with personal ones. Better spirit and cohesion are badly needed on this campus. Would not the progress toward this achievement be worth the second try?

It is true, much to the embarrassment of the majority of the student body, that there have been booings and cat-calls in the student convocations, but this is merely bad manners on the part of those involved. Immaturity is found in any situation involving a collective group of people.

Benefits gained from a series of meetings can certainly outnumber the few boring and uninformative ones. There is no place for the continuation of the present program but there is a need for group gatherings with group leadership. How else can fellow students and administration become acquainted with each other? By eliminating convocations, a communication media is being snipped off before it has a chance to bud.

A.C. Is Competing With McDonald

Alabama College is not Old MacDonald's farm but it might be serving as a substitute. It has most of the characteristics—a dog, cat, chicken, squirrels, and birds.

The canine species ranks first on campus because it has the most representatives. Rex, the night-watchman's collie, and Ed, a black half cocker spaniel, furnish most of the yapping on campus.

The small yellow cat, or better known as Andrew The Cat, joined the campus crowd by being slashed up recently. His leg seems to have gotten in the way during some of his catting around.

Seniors have been waking to the call of the wild or rather the cackle of a hen, but thus far no eggs have been discovered. Who knows, these hot mornings may prove profitable for fried eggs yet?

The squirrels and birds may not be part of the original farm, but they are a definite part of the whistling and scampering around the A. C. campus.

TOWER TALKS

Graduation days are here again. It always makes one sad to see a group of students pass out through the gates, knowing that they will return again only as alumni. It is

always amazing to me the kind of capers they pull throughout their four years here. But these never cease, for they continue their little tricks right up until they accept their diploma.

One of the "most honorable" was recently caught oiling her shoes. Why? Because they squeaked!

In filling out her activity form, a mighty senior calmly listed "one broken rib on the seniors' trip to Florida."

One senior's gripe turned into a joke. It seems that her name is never spelled correctly. Her amusing remark—"If they don't spell it correctly on my diploma, I'll just give it back to them."

The Florida trip produced more than many tanned seniors. One young man's nap on the beach cost him the imprint of his hands on his chest.

The trip began a round of ceaseless activities for the "has-beens" as they are called after Crook Day's events. Receptions, departmental and class parties are all part of the finale of life at Alabama College.

Amid this hub-bub, plans for the future are being made. Plans for a life quite different from that of the past four years. Some will not return for years after they have become parents.

But the spirit of Alabama College and I will remain stationary. The class of '59 goes on and fresh faces follow. Life is full of sad changes merging into happier days. Good luck to you, the class of 1959, as you seek these happier ventures of life.

Did You Know?

That on January 12, 1948, Ramsay Dormitory was presented with a workable pencil sharpener?

That in 1948 it was suggested that the space back of Reynolds loafing porch be paved for a skating rink?

That before Ramsay was made a freshmen men's dormitory, it was a junior women's dormitory, and before that, a sophomore women's dormitory?

That in 1909 the library was in Main Dormitory?

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Andrew Discovers Reynolds Omeber

I was over by the little pool behind Reynolds the other day. I crept up through the roses to sneak up on the fish—all in vain. There were no fish. I wish they would get some fish.

Well, I sat a spell wishing as how they would get some fish, and I heard some music from the radio station. But it was awfully weak and what's more it was in the middle of the day. Well, I looked and looked and just got so confused. Then I decided it was coming from the pool. And bless and behold it was! A little omeber was pseudopoiding around singing. The best I could tell, he was singing over and over words to the tune of "The Happy Wanderer":

Oh! I am a Omeber
A Omeber am I
I will evolve and conquer all,
I soon shall be a ape.
Omeber, Omeber, Omeber
Omeber,er,er,er,er,er,er,er,er
Omeber
And then I'll be a Man.

That was all I could catch right off and then I got scared and left. I wish they'd get some fish to eat up all those Omebers. I'll bet fish would think Omebers was good.

An old alley cat told me one time how to tell when things were good—a sure fire way: If it ends, it's good. For that matter everything ends but uncertainty. But isn't everything uncertain? Look around—nothing is definite. You have to worry about whether or not the sour cream will cause indigestion, if you'll break your neck going down the steps in Comer, if the Tea House sign will fall on your head, if you'll get a job after graduation, if you'll graduate. Grades, credits, hours. Is graduation a joy or is it a culmination of uncertainties? But they come to an end.

I was over at the infirmary to get something done about my leg. A student was in there griping about how much work there was to do now school was nearly out and him with a cut finger. They put some Sal Hepatica on my leg and said it would be all right if I'd stay out of the road.

If America were a cannibalistic country, just think of the altruistic reputation we should have. Everyone is always going out and cooking himself.

ANDREW THE CAT



THE TEN BEST DRESSED GIRLS—On the campus of Alabama College were presented at the fashion show sponsored by the freshman clothing class and the Retail Club. They are: Jade Higgins, Alice Ketchum, Jackie Inman, Frances Trest, Jo Veal, Wynette Turner, Bobbie Hopkins, Christel Ludwig, Irma Harrell, and Shannon Throckmorton.

Clothing Class Shows Fashions.

By Eleanor Henderson

Music filled the air as the members of the freshman clothing class paraded down a pink fringed ramp to the rose garden from Reynolds porch. Latest styles were shown around the Maypole set in the middle of the pond. Down the ramp they came, one by one—

Shyrie Mauldin in a shirtwaist dress of browns and greens, Caroline Dickinson in an apricot chemise with white trim and matching headband;

Audrey Allen in a two-piece dress and jacket combination; Rochelle Orr in a pink-sprigged cotton shirtwaist with bow hat; Betty Cook wearing a navy blue polka dot sheath with a stand-away collar;

Ellen Burch wearing a pink nobby weave jacket dress; Peggy Miller in a blue linen suit dress; Ellen Daniels in a lavender silk shantung dress; Ann Carruth wearing a shirtwaist of novelty weave gray cotton;

Evelyn Ratliff in a plaid cotton sheath; Lynn Camp in separates of shades of green and white; Joy Williams in a coat dress of browns blended together; Juanita Arnold in a shirtwaist dress of green background printed cotton; Doris Williamson wearing a blue novelty pique suit-dress;

Judy Pruett in a beige overblouse and skirt; Donna Hunt wearing a turquoise and green taffeta sheath; Frances Turney wearing a pink polished cotton dress with an embroidered nylon overskirt.

A reception followed the fashion show in honor of the models and the ten best dressed. Refreshments were made by the freshman foods class under the direction of Mrs. Florence Folsom. Serving were Nancy DeVore, Marneen McDonough, Marianne Noland, and Eleanor Henderson.

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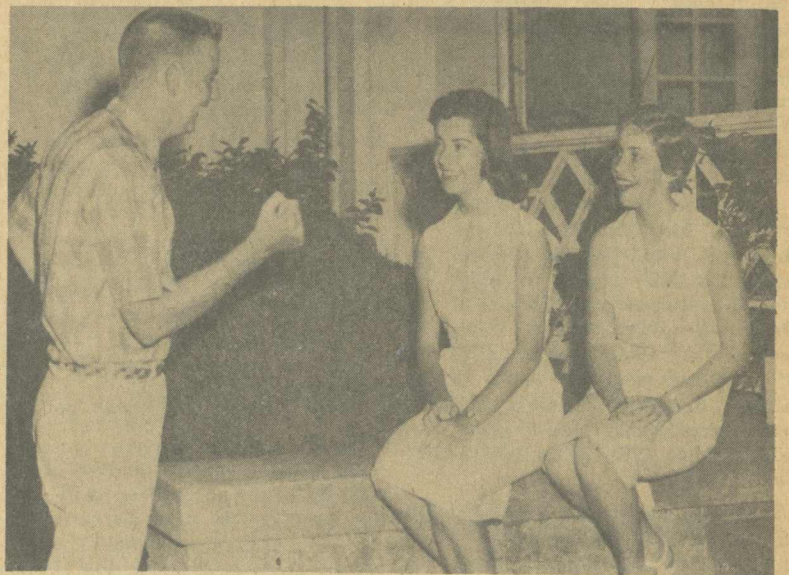
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Summer S. G. A. Candidates



I'LL GIVE YOU A FIGHT—Says R. G. Hilton to Nan Jackson and Bobbie Hopkins, three of the candidates for president of the summer school student body. Bobby Harrison, the fourth candidate, is not pictured.

Four Vying For S. G. A. President, Election Scheduled For First Term

Summer School Student Government officers will be elected at the beginning of the first session. Candidates for the offices have been announced.

Vying for president will be Nan Jackson, Bobby Harrison, R. G. Hilton, and Bobbie Hopkins.

In the race for vice-president will be Elizabeth Thompson, Donnie Jacks, and Carolyn Moody. Wynette Turner, Joanne Mink.

Jerry Ann Melton and Ann Pugh are in the secretary's race.

Running for social chairman will be Peggy Ratliff, Mary Ellen Grant, and Ruth Williams.

The summer court members were appointed. They are: Clyde Hoffman, Billy Cotton, Bill Powers, Albert Van Cleave, Linda Sparkman, Rosalyn Robinette, and Linda Johnson.

The officers of Main will also be selected in this election. Carol Ann Lewis and Marlene Rowell will be running for president.

For vice-president Janice Jones and Eleanor Henderson are vying. Faye Thornhill and Margaret Robbins are in the secretary's race.

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The graduating class, including summer graduates, consists of 84 students. A brief biographical sketch of the majority of the class with their future plans is presented in an effort to place emphasis on the seniors.

Nancy McCary, a social science major, will receive her B.A. degree in May. Her college activities include College Night and College Theatre.

A physical education major, Gene McCutchen will receive a B.S. degree in June. While in college, she has been active in Tri-Beta, Catalina, College Night, treasurer of freshman class, Kappa Delta Pi, Lambda Sigma Pi, president of Orchesis, Physical Education Club, Recreation Association, Senate, Who's Who.

Graduating in July will be Margaret Ann Morgan. She will earn her B.S. degree in biology. Her college activities include Alabamian, Tri-Beta, College Night, and house president.

A secretarial science major, Bette Joyce Wilson will receive her B.S. degree in May. She has been active on the Alabamian, in the Business Administration Club, College Night, house president, and WRSD.

Frances Yarbrough, a social work major, will graduate this summer. While attending college she has been active on the Alabamian, in the Biology Club, College Night Cabinet, Pi Tau Chi, secretary-treasurer Recreation Association, senior class officer, social chairman, and Usher's Club.

Majoring in biology, Darrol Pharris will do graduate study at Vanderbilt University after his August graduation. While attending college, he has been active in "A" Club, Tri-Beta, College Night, College Theatre, Senate, Student Court, WRSD, Alpha Epsilon Rho, SGA social chairman, and house council.

Libby Queen will receive her B.S. degree in speech therapy in May. Her college activities include College Night, College Theatre, International Relations Club, Ivol Spafford Club, Montage, Retail Club, Senate, social committee, Usher's Club, and Student Christian Association.

Employed as mathematics instructor for Alabama College next fall, Neal Shirley will receive his B.S. degree in May. Neal has served as president of the Student Government, treasurer of "A" Club, vice-president of freshman class, president of Napier, Kappa Mu Epsilon, Sigma Alpha Sigma, Men's Court, Who's Who, WRSD, and baseball team.

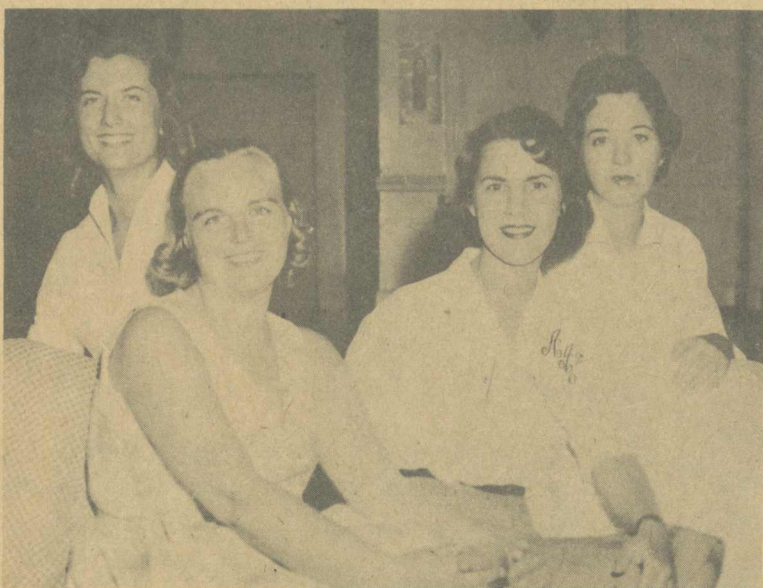
A speech major, Harvey Fleming will be an August graduate. He has been active in College Night, WRSD manager, Alpha Epsilon Rho, choir president, Senior Elite.

Graduating in July, Mary Gene Fleming will receive a B.S. in home economics. Her activities include Catalina Club, College Night, Ivol Spafford Club, Kappa Delta Pi, Omicron Nu, Religious Council, WRSD, choir.

A history major, Shirley Langford will receive her B.A. degree in June. Her college activities include working on College Night, ASEA, and International Relations Club.

Receiving a B.A. degree earned in political science is Terry Langford. She will be a May graduate. Terry has been active on the Alabamian, College Night, president of International Relations Club, treasurer of Southeastern Regional IRC, Pi Delta Epsilon, Social Committee, business manager of Tower.

Frances Turney will receive a B.S. degree in secretarial science in May. She participated in College Night and was a member of the Business Administration Club.



IT'S ALL OVER—For the officers of this year's senior class as they join their classmates in readying for commencement exercises Sunday. Leading the graduating class were Patty Talley, president; Frances Yarbrough, vice-president; Alice Ketchum, secretary; and Hazel Cook, treasurer.

Patty Talley, a history major, will be doing graduate work at Tulane University in New Orleans after her May graduation. Her numerous activities include Alpha Lambda Delta, Montage beauty, College Night cabinet, class favorite, Lambda Sigma Pi president, Senate secretary, junior and senior class president, Who's Who, and Kappa Delta Pi.

Majoring in business education is Wanza Cauthen. After her May graduation, she plans to go into teaching or secretarial work. Wanza has been active in the Business Administration Club, Pi Delta Epsilon, Recreation Association, and Senate. She has also served on the Montage, Tower, and as secretary of the sophomore class.

Bertha Masterson, a vocational home economics major, will graduate May 31 with a B.S. degree. Bertha's activities include Gold Cabinet, '58-'59; College Theatre; National Collegiate Players; Kappa Delta Pi; Lambda Sigma Pi secretary; Omicron Nu secretary and vice-president; Senate president; Ivol Spafford Club vice-president; WRSD staff, and Who's Who. Bertha plans to teach in Alabama.

Katherine Morton, a biology and chemistry major, will graduate May 31 with a B.S. degree. Her activities at college has been numerous. She has been Alabamian editor; vice-president and treasurer of the Biology Club; Ushers Club; social chairman and business manager of the Theatre Council. She has been a member of Tri-Beta, Pi Delta Epsilon, Pi Tau Chi, Lambda Sigma Pi, and Eta Sigma Phi.

Jean Findlay will graduate in August with a B.A. in social work. Then she plans to enter graduate school. This active senior has been Assistant Gold Leader for '59 College Night, in Catalina Club, Sociology Club, and social chairman of Tutwiler Hall.

Louise Bishop will receive her B.A. degree in social work in May. After graduation, she plans to work in Shelby County as a pension counselor before going to graduate school.

A home economics major, Barbara Lett will receive her B.S. degree in July. Her college activities include College Night, Ivol Spafford Club, Montage, Religious Council, Usher's Club, and Student Christian Association.

Carol Ann Lewis, a speech therapy major, will receive her B.S. degree in August. She has been active in College Night, College Theatre, International Relations Club, WRSD, Zeta Phi Eta, and Chorale.

Sue Swann, a physical education major, will receive her B.S. degree in May. Her college activities include Tri-Beta, College Night Purple leader, Kappa Delta Pi secretary, Lambda Sigma Pi treasurer, Pi Tau Chi, Recreation Association president, and Senate.

Beckie Gantt will receive a B.A. degree, which she has earned in English. Her activities include the College Theatre, Purple Cabinet, Chorale, SCA treasurer, the Alabamian, Biology Club, and Orchesis. She was chosen as a senior elite and for membership in National Collegiate Players.

Martha Jo Anton is an English major, who will graduate on May 31 with a B.A. degree. Her tentative plans are to serve as a recreation supervisor with Service Clubs in either Okinawa or Korea. She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Alabamian, Tower, and College Night.

Peggy Fields Stewart will be graduated May 31 with a B.S. degree in vocational home economics. She plans to join her husband in Zweibrücken, Germany, where she will teach. Membership in the Ivol Spafford Club, the Alabamian, Montage, Usher's Club, WRSD, and College Night have kept her busy while at A.C.

Jade Higgins will receive her B.A. in retail home economics at the end of this term and then she will go to Dallas, Texas, where she will work as a department store buyer. Her past college activities include being president of the Retail Club, one of this year's ten best dressed, Usher's Club, Ivol Spafford Club, and Catalina Club.

Majoring in business education, Roma Creel will serve as a secretary with the Wolverine Tube Co. in Birmingham. She receives her B. S. degree in May. Her college activities include the Business Administration Club, College Night, and treasurer of the Student Government Association.

Jessie Mae Lyles, a business education major, will receive her B.S. degree in May. During college she has been active as secretary-treasurer of Sigma Alpha Sigma, historian of Kappa Delta Pi, Eta Sigma Phi, Montage, secretary of Tutwiler, and chairman of College Night ticket committee. Jessie Mae plans to teach commercial subjects in high school.

A transfer from Athens College, Joan Black will receive her B.S. in July. An elementary education major, she plans to teach the fifth grade at Ft. Deposit.

Graduating in May with a B.S. degree is Alice Ketchum. She has served as secretary of junior and senior classes, and has been active in the Business Administration Club, Pi Delta Epsilon, Montage. She was selected as a class favorite, '59; Who's Who, and ten best dressed, '59. Alice will be teaching at Woodlawn High School next fall.

Hazel Cook, a business education major, will use her B.S. degree toward a secretarial position in Birmingham. Her college activities include treasurer of Pi Delta Epsilon, Business Administration Club, Montage, College Night, and treasurer of the junior and senior classes.

A vocational home economics major, Judy Daniels will receive her B.S. in August. Judy's activities include mixed chorus, College Night, and treasurer of the Ivol Spafford Club. Her future plans are to enter the teaching profession.

Jennie Cotney, a music education major, will receive her B.M.E. degree from A. C. in May. While attending college, she has been chief justice; top beauty, '58, '59; Who's Who, Senior Elite, Purple assistant leader. She has been a member of Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Alpha Mu, and Lambda Sigma Pi. Next fall, she plans to teach in LaGrange, Georgia.

Mayre Faucett will receive a B.S. in biology. She has been active in the Biology Club and Tri-Beta, as well as working on the Alabamian and College Night.

Mrs. Mimi Kaley Findley will receive a B.S. degree in the August graduation in the field of biology. Her plans are to teach. She has been a member of the Biology Club, Catalina Club, the Alumnae Daughters, and participated in College Night.

Jane Venable, an elementary education major, will receive her degree in May. Jane will begin her teaching career in Columbus, Georgia. She has served as president of Pi Tau Chi and vice-president of the state organization; devotional chairman of the Student Christian Association and chairman and co-chairman of Drives Week. She was also a member of the A.C.E., College Night, A.S.E.A., Senate, student court, and the Usher's Club.

Johnnie Gross will graduate in May with a B.S. degree in biology. She was a member of the Biology Club, recreation association, College Night and served as vice-president of Tri-Beta.

Carolyn Kornegay will receive a B.S. degree in vocational home economics in the May graduation. She was a member of the Ivol Spafford Club, Alabamian, and College Night.

Barbara Turner is a physical education major who will be in the May graduation exercises to receive her B.S. degree. Barbara was a member of the recreation association, student court, Physical Education Club and participated in College Night.

Carolyn Mauldin will be graduating in July with a B.A. degree in elementary education. She has worked in the Theatre Council, A. C. E., and on the Alabamian staff. Carolyn will be teaching the sixth grade at Berry School.

Betty June Milam, a history major, will graduate in August with a B.A. degree. Her college activities include A. S. C. A.; International Relations Club; B. A. Club; Pi Delta Epsilon; Montage and Alabamian staffs; business manager of Alabamian, and College Night. Plans are indefinite.

Billie Jean Moore will receive a B. S. degree in vocational home economics on May 31. She has been a member of the Alabamian staff, Ivol Spafford Club, and state reporter of College and University Home Economics Clubs. Billie will be married in June, but plans to teach in the City School System in Rochester, New York.

Graduating May 31 with a B.A. degree in art is Barbara Maul. She has served on the Gold Cabinet in '58, '59; treasurer of Recreation Association; treasurer of the sophomore class, Kappa Pi, vice-president and social chairman; Retail Club; Ivol Spafford Club; Art Club; Elite Night; ten best dressed 1956, and Fire Marshal. Barbara will be teaching art in Columbus, Georgia.

Bob Murray, graduating in June with a B.A. degree in art, has been a member of Kappa Pi; Pi Delta Epsilon, president; National Collegiate Players, vice-president; Who's Who, editor of the Tower; associate editor of the Alabamian; Gold Cabinet, Gold Director; Theatre Council. Bob will be a member of the European Seminar this summer. Next year he hopes to be with an advertising agency.

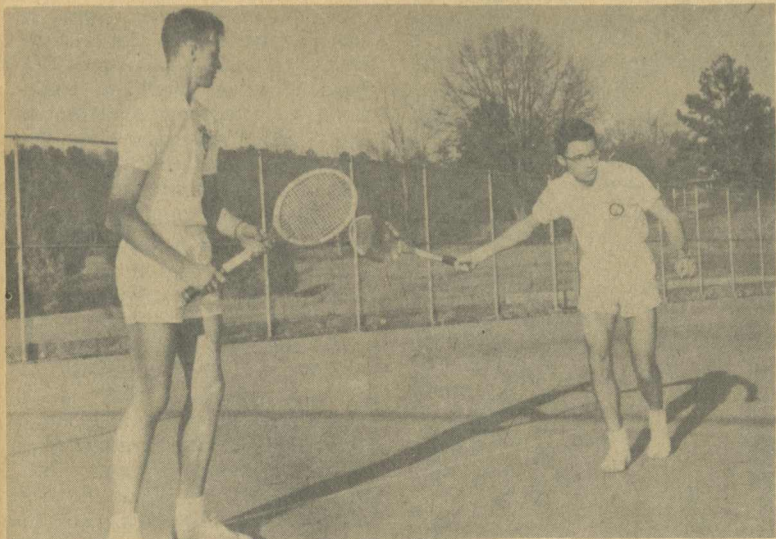
Thelma Myers will graduate on May 31, with a B.S. degree in retail economics. She was secretary of the Retail Club and a member of the Ushers Club. Thelma will be a member of the European Seminar and then in the fall she will begin work at Joske's in San Antonio, Texas.

Rosalind White, a senior majoring in vocational home economics, will receive a B.S. degree when she graduates May 31. During her college life she has participated in many extra-curricular activities some of which are president of the Ivol Spafford Club, Montage.

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YOU CAN FEEL THE IMPORTANCE—Teases mischievous Barbara Maul as she practices for the "big event" scheduled for Sunday. This month's Campus Queen is a Georgia peach from Augusta. After graduation, the brown-eyed beauty plans to teach art, her field of specialization, in Columbus, Ga.



MEMBERS OF THE FIRST—Intercollegiate tennis team are Ellis Faught and John Scott as they practiced for scheduled matches.

Netmen Close Season Seeking First Win As Birmingham Southern Wins Match

Alabama College's netmen closed the 1959 tennis season last Friday against strong Birmingham Southern still in search of their first team victory.

Although the won-lost record read 0-9 going into the Southern match, the team made a fine showing. After taking a 9-0 pounding in the season's opening match with Marion, the squad showed continued improvement throughout the year.

Every man on the team has one

Baseballers Lose To Southern Union

Coach Frank Lightfoot's A. C. baseball squad went into their final game against the Southern Union Bisons seeking their fourth victory in fifteen starts.

Foozy Findley, who owns all three of the club's victories, was scheduled to start for A. C. Findley's record now stands at 3-3 for the year.

The wins include a 5-2 victory over Marion in the first game of the year and a 14-6 pounding of St. Bernard, along with the 18-9 slugfest with Athens.

Through the first twelve games Jerry Harrison, the fiery little second sacker and lead-off hitter, is leading the team in hitting, percentage wise. He has had thirteen hits in thirty-nine trips for an average of .333.

Don Miller, the shortstop and captain, is second with a healthy .308. Pitcher Ralph Hunt, the fireball artist, has also been very impressive at the plate. He has had five hits in ten trips for a .500 average.

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or more years of eligibility left and Coach Floyd Anderson has much hope for the future.

St. Bernard 5—A. C. 3

Avila (A) def. Pinter (B), 6-4, 1-6, 6-4.

Dugan (B) def. Mahone (A), 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Zoder (B) def. Garrett (A), 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Ryan (B) def. Faught (A), 6-1, 6-0.

Scott (A) def. Turner (B), 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Savino (A) def. Gallagher (B), 6-3, 6-3.

Dugan-Zoder (B) def. Faught-Garrett (A), 6-4, 7-5.

Pinter-Ryan (B) def. Avila-Mahone (A), 1-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Huntingdon 7—A. C. 2

Mathison (H) def. Avila (A), 6-2, 6-2.

Huff (H) def. Mahone (A), 6-1, 6-1.

Burr (H) def. Faught (A), 6-2, 6-3.

Holloway (H) def. Garrett (A), 6-2, 6-2.

Kalili (H) def. Scott (A), 6-2, 6-4.

Savino (A) def. Stewart (H), 8-6, 6-4.

Mathison-Huff (H) def. Faught-Mahone (A), 6-1, 6-3.

Burr-Holloway (H) def. Avila-Garrett (A), 6-0, 6-1.

Scott-Savino (A) def. Stewart-Kalili (H), 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

STUDENTS PICK FALCONS

Alabama College has officially adopted the name of Falcons. Students voted on three names, Falcons, Aces, and Highlanders in convocation. The names were submitted by an appointed committee. The student vote named Falcons as the top choice.

In all intercollegiate sports, students representing Alabama College will be referred to as the Falcons.

Top Golfers Take Tourney

The spring golf tournament winners are Priscilla Bryant and Roger Zucco. Despite rain which threatened in the early rounds, the tournament was a success.

The scores for the tournament were based on 18 holes played on May 9, but in order to qualify a previous 18 holes of play was required.

In the men's division there was tough competition all the way. Roger Zucco took first place. Roger shot a score of 82 on the 18 holes. Taking the runner-up position were Charles Bence and H. N. Barnette. Both of these participants shot a score of 84. Other entrants in the men's division were Joe Neal Roper and Joe Hamilton.

Priscilla Bryant was the victor in the women's division. Flora Clark was the runner-up. Priscilla drove ahead during the first round, but Flora came back in the second round to make this an interesting match.

Sports Awards Given Winners

Ramsay and Second East Napier stepped out front to win the intramural sports cups for the year 1958-59.

The point system scores for 1st and 2nd places, respectively, 25 and 15 points in team sports with each team counting as 5 points and 15 and 10 points in individual sports with one point for each participant. Due to the great difference in the number of women from each dormitory, the women's point system is figured as a percentage of the points won to the number of girls in the specific dormitory. The men's point system is on the straight point factor.

This year in the intramural curriculum of volleyball, basketball, softball, swimming, spring and fall tennis and golf, and touch football for men only, Ramsay had a percentage of 213 and Second East Napier had 105 points. Hanson had 160%, Main 51%, and Tutwiler 41%. The only men's team to threaten the winning Second East Napier was Third West Napier which racked up 80 points.

Hanson Is Hunting Ping Pong Champ

Ping pong tournaments can be a lot of fun, or so Carolyn Pinson, representative to the Recreation Association, convinced twenty-one Hansonites.

This intraroom tournament was set up on a single elimination basis with each match consisting of the best two out of three twenty-one point games.

So far, Pat Kelly has reached the finals of one bracket by defeating Carolyn Clark 21-7, 21-7; Carolyn Lindsey 21-10, 21-13; and Shorty Hill 21-15, 21-17. Hilda Ocasio, in the semifinals, heads the other bracket having defeated Dawn Floyd 21-15, 21-19; LeVonne Taylor by forfeit; and Rosalie Hart 21-8, 21-13.



REBEL ROUSERS COP FIFTH TOURNEY—By snagging the intramural softball tournament. This also clinched the sports cups for the 2nd East Napier team. Members of the winning team are: (left-right) kneeling, Joe Neal Roper, Roy Mims, Buddy South, Ben Stewart, Zoot Fulford; standing, Spencer Clements, Roger Zucco, Earl Lewis, Don Pruett, and George Desmond. Team members not shown are Charlie Webster and Bob Stoddard.

Rebel Rousers Raid Tourney To Claim Five Championships

By Earl Lewis

The Rebel Rousers of 2nd East Napier added softball to their collection of Intramural Sports Championships last week by downing the 3rd East team four straight times by scores of 12-6, 8-4, 5-4, and 7-6 in a best of seven series.

Fastballer Charlie Webster and team captain Joe Roper handled the Rebel Rousers' pitching chores with Roper receiving credit for three of the wins and Webster the other. Every man in the 2nd East batting order had hits at crucial moments during the series, and the

infield play of Desmond, South, Fulford, and Zucco along with Webster and Roper when they weren't pitching was great.

Behind the plate, Bennie Stewart handled the chores quite capably, and Mims, Clements, Lewis, Stoddard, and Pruett covered the outfield like dew throughout the series.

For 3rd, Barney Barnette and Joe "Laigs" Hamilton supplied some fine pitching, and Frank Whatley, Willie Wooten, Harry Childs, and Bob Reynolds supplied power at the plate. Ronnie Smith and Warner Bucklin also played some fine ball both afield and at bat for the losers.

Earlier in the year the Rebel Rousers won the football championship with a 7-1 record, and later volleyball with a record of 11-1. When basketball season rolled around, 2nd East fielded two teams with Ellis Faught's squad finishing second to 3rd West, and Fred Wood's group taking fourth place.

Next they won the swimming meet for the second straight year; the second place team being twenty-three points down. In golf Ralph Thrasher won the fall tournament and Roger Zucco won this spring, both for 2nd East. Yaca Avila won the singles tennis tournament for 3rd West, but as the doubles tourney progresses, three of the four teams that remain going into the quarter-finals are from 2nd.

With these five championships under their belts, the 2nd East boys copped the first annual intramural sports trophy for men.

Managers Replace Sports Counselors For Fall Calendar

"Managers" instead of the so-called counselors will conduct the individual sports of the Recreation Association's men's and women's intramural program for next year. The name of manager was substituted so that the Recreation Association workers may be given more prestige and acknowledgment in their endeavors to set up and direct the various activities.

The managers for next year are: Laura Bailey and Donnie Jacks, basketball; Linda Sparkman and Tommy Smith, volleyball; Bobby Harrison and a women's manager to be elected, tennis; Flora Clark and Ralph Thrasher, golf; Jo Veal and Earl Lewis, swimming; Carolyn Hill and Buddy South, softball; and Joe Neal Roper, touch football.

Jimmy Eddins will serve as lake director, Shirley Baker as camp-house director, Clint Mills as step singing director, Margaret Tait as publicity director, and Betty Frost as art director.

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Seniors Tell Future Plans

tage feature editor, and Elite Night chairman. An honor student, she is in the following fraternities: Omicron Nu, Kappa Delta Pi, and Eta Sigma Phi. Rosalind is planning to teach home economics.

Mary Katherine Wilson, who will graduate with a B.S. in vocational home economics May 31 has been very active in many activities at A.C. while at the same time making top grades. She has served as treasurer of Alpha Lambda Delta, president and vice-president of Omicron Nu, president of Kappa Delta Pi. In the fall she will be teaching home economics and science at Cullman High School.

Patsy McAliley, a social science major graduating in May with a B.S. degree, has been very active in the Baptist Student union during her college career. She has served in many varied capacities, her present job being that of social chairman. Patsy is going to work with the Baptist Home Mission Board this summer in Louisville, Kentucky. When fall rolls around again, you can find her teaching the second grade in Floyd Elementary School in Montgomery.

Marlene McBee, an art major and this year's president of Kappa Pi, will receive her B.A. degree in May. This September, she is going to Korea to do recreation work for the Red Cross. After eighteen months in Korea, she will do graduate work at the University of North Carolina.

Faye Thomas will receive a B.S. degree in elementary education on May 31. Faye participated on the Alabamian, Montage, WRSD, and in College Night. She was a member of A.C.E., A.S.E.A., and the Usher's Club. She will teach in Montgomery after graduation.

Barbara Walker is an elementary education major who will be in the July class. Her plans

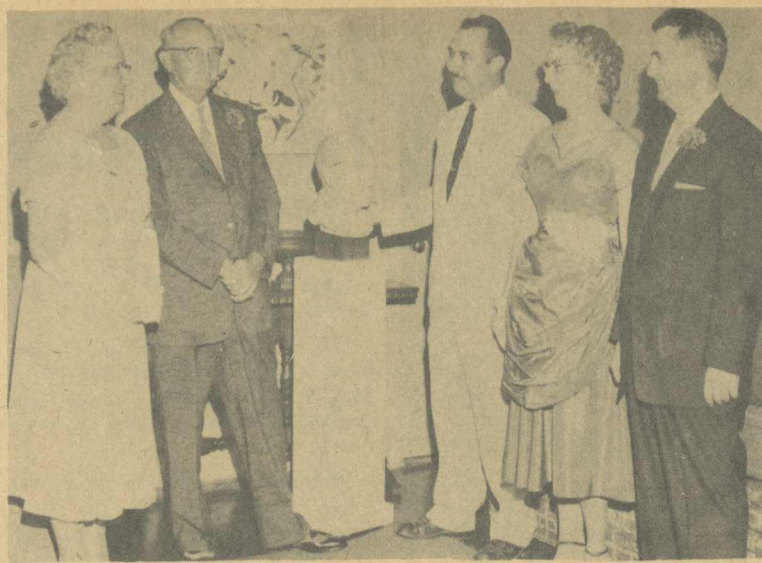
are to teach in Calera. Barbara was a member of College Theatre, College Night Leader, International Relations Club, Kappa Delta Pi, social committee, Mu Delta Alpha, student court, and WRSD. She held the following offices: vice-president and secretary of A.C.E., justice, president and vice-president of A.C.E.A., social chairman of SCA, and president of the Women's Court. She was selected for Who's Who and senior elite.

Doris Ann McKinney, receiving her B.S. in elementary education from A.C. in August, has been active in the A.C.E., Usher's Club, and Alumnae Daughters. After graduation she will be teaching in Jefferson County.

Margie Lane is an art major, who will receive her B.A. degree with the May graduating class. She is seeking work with the Norcross Greeting Card Company. Her first enterprise will be the European Seminar. While at A.C. Margie was a member of Kappa Pi, Pi, Delta Epsilon, Mu Delta Alpha, College Theatre, Montage, Alabamian, WRSD, Tower, and Free Theatre Director. She also was president of Pi Epsilon Delta, and publicity chairman of Theatre Council.

Ann Riley, a graduating major in speech therapy, has served on the Alabamian staff, as assistant editor of the Montage, president of Zeta Phi Eta, on the Tower, as a member of Pi Delta Epsilon, Theatre Council, on the Purple Cabinet, as a house officer, and a member of Chorale, and mixed chorus. Upon graduating from A.C., Ann plans to serve with the Calhoun County Speech Therapy School.

Jane Graham will receive her B.S. degree in biology this May. While at Alabama College, Jane was editor of the Montage, Who's Who, Senior Elite, Pi Delta Epsilon, Tri-Beta, and Biology Club. Next fall she will do graduate



GUEST OF HONOR—Is Dean M. L. Orr, Sr., at a reception given by Dr. and Mrs. Howard M. Phillips. Dr. Orr is retiring at the end of this term. On this occasion he was presented a bust of himself. Admiring the surprise gift are Mrs. Orr, Dean Orr, David Huntley, chairman of the college art department, Mrs. Phillips, and Dr. Phillips.

work at Tulane University, with a teaching assistantship in the zoology department at Sophia Newcomb College.

Majoring in social work, Ann Ratliff plans to be working at the Jefferson County Department of Pensions and Security as a Child Welfare worker on June 1. She has served as president of B.S.U., a member of the senate and sociology club.

Pat Perreault will receive her B.A. degree in social work this May. Pat has served as assistant editor of both the Alabamian and Tower as well as make-up editor of both, a member of Pi Delta Epsilon, Theatre Council, Sociology Club, and the Gold Cabinet. Upon graduation Pat plans to work as a medical social worker in the Military Hospital for Red Cross.

Receiving a B.S. degree in vocational home economics, Elsie Snellgrove was a member of the Ivor Spafford Club, Alabamian Staff, Purple Cabinet, and Theatre Council. Elsie plans to teach home economics here in Alabama after graduating this May.

Jane Rice, a major in Physical

Education, has been a member of Orchestis, Physical Education Club, recreation association and cheerleader for College Night. She plans to teach swimming in Bessemer this summer.

After receiving her B.A. degree in history, May 31, Nadine Sexton plans to teach twelfth grade government at Fairfield High School. While at Alabama College Nadine served as a justice on the student court.

LaRue Anderson, a May graduate, will pursue her major in some phase of social work upon receiving her degree. While at A.C. she participated in College Night and was a member of the Sociology Club.

Pat Hodges receives her B. A. in elementary education on May 31. Among her activities are: Hanson house president, social committee in 1955-56, ten best dressed in 1956-57, a leading role in the 1958 Purple production, and Montage beauty. Next fall she will begin teaching a third grade class at Harrison Elementary School in Montgomery.

Lorna West plans to follow her field of study in physical educa-

tion as a teacher in La Grange, after she receives her degree in the May graduation. She held the offices of social chairman of College Theatre; publicity chairman, secretary and treasurer of the physical education club. She was a member of Pi Tau Chi, recreation association.

Barbara Ann White is a retail home economics major, who will receive her B.S. degree in the May 31 graduation. Her plans for the future are for a trip to Texas where she will begin work. Barbara was vice president of the junior class and a member of the Alabamian, Montage, College Night Cabinet, Ivor Spafford Club, Mu Delta Alpha, Retail Club, Omicron Nu, Pi Delta Epsilon, Usher's Club, Who's Who, and the Art Club.

Patsy Whitten will receive her B.S. degree in physical education in the August graduation. Immediately after that she will begin teaching at the Rutledge Junior High School in Jefferson County. Patsy was a member of the Physical Education club and was active in College Night.

Polly Hollidays's B.M.E. degree has been earned in music. Among her college extracurricular activities have been the leading roles in several College Theater plays. Her future plans include outdoor drama in "Unto These Hills".

Jackie Inman is receiving a degree in business education. Her numerous activities include: business manager of the Montage, vice-president of Pi Delta Epsilon, head of Ushers; Senior Elite, Who's Who, Montage beauty, and Senate member. She plans to enter the secretarial field.

Other seniors about whom information was not available are: Mary Catherine Allison, Lena Hewston Cook, Nolan Palmer, Nellie Ruth Peak, Patricia Ann Shewbart, John A. Shuttlesworth, Llewellyn Thomas, Elizabeth M. Vail, Carolyn Woolley, Betty Cofer, Mary Katherine Hicks, Barbara Evans, James Findley, William M. Steiner, Louise Golsen, Bonnie Bowdon and Laura Belle Norris.

Do You Think for Yourself? (THIS TEST WILL GIVE YOU A CLUE!*)



1. If your parents exhibited "baby pictures" of you to a friend, would you be (A) embarrassed? (B) merely interested in your friend's reaction? (C) just plain annoyed?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



2. You are making a speech—and suddenly find you have a large hole in your clothes. Would you (A) excuse yourself and leave? (B) pretend you didn't know the hole was there and finish the speech? (C) cover up the hole with a handkerchief?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



3. Would you rather have the characteristics of (A) U.S. Grant? (B) Thomas Edison? (C) J. P. Morgan?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



4. You have taken your date to dinner and find you haven't money to tip the waiter as well as take your date home. Would you (A) ignore the waiter? (B) take him aside and tell him you'll tip him next day? (C) tip him and walk your date home?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



5. Mathematics is your poorest subject, yet you are fascinated by the idea of being an atomic physicist. Would you (A) try to overcome your difficulties with math? (B) pick an easier occupation? (C) ask yourself if it's physics you like or its glamour?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



6. Your roommate is a nice person, but suddenly takes to asserting an ability to foretell the future. Would you (A) notify the authorities? (B) ignore the whole thing? (C) give him tests to prove to him he's wrong?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



7. Do you believe the maxim "It's a long lane that has no turning" is (A) a complete non sequitur? (B) a well-known fact? (C) an allusion to a common phenomenon?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



8. Would you rather have as a birthday present (A) something expensive? (B) something long-lasting? (C) something beautiful?

A ☐
B ☐
C ☐



9. In choosing a filter cigarette, would you (A) pick one that (A) claims it filters best? (B) merely says it tastes good? (C) gives you a thinking man's filter and a smoking man's taste?

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